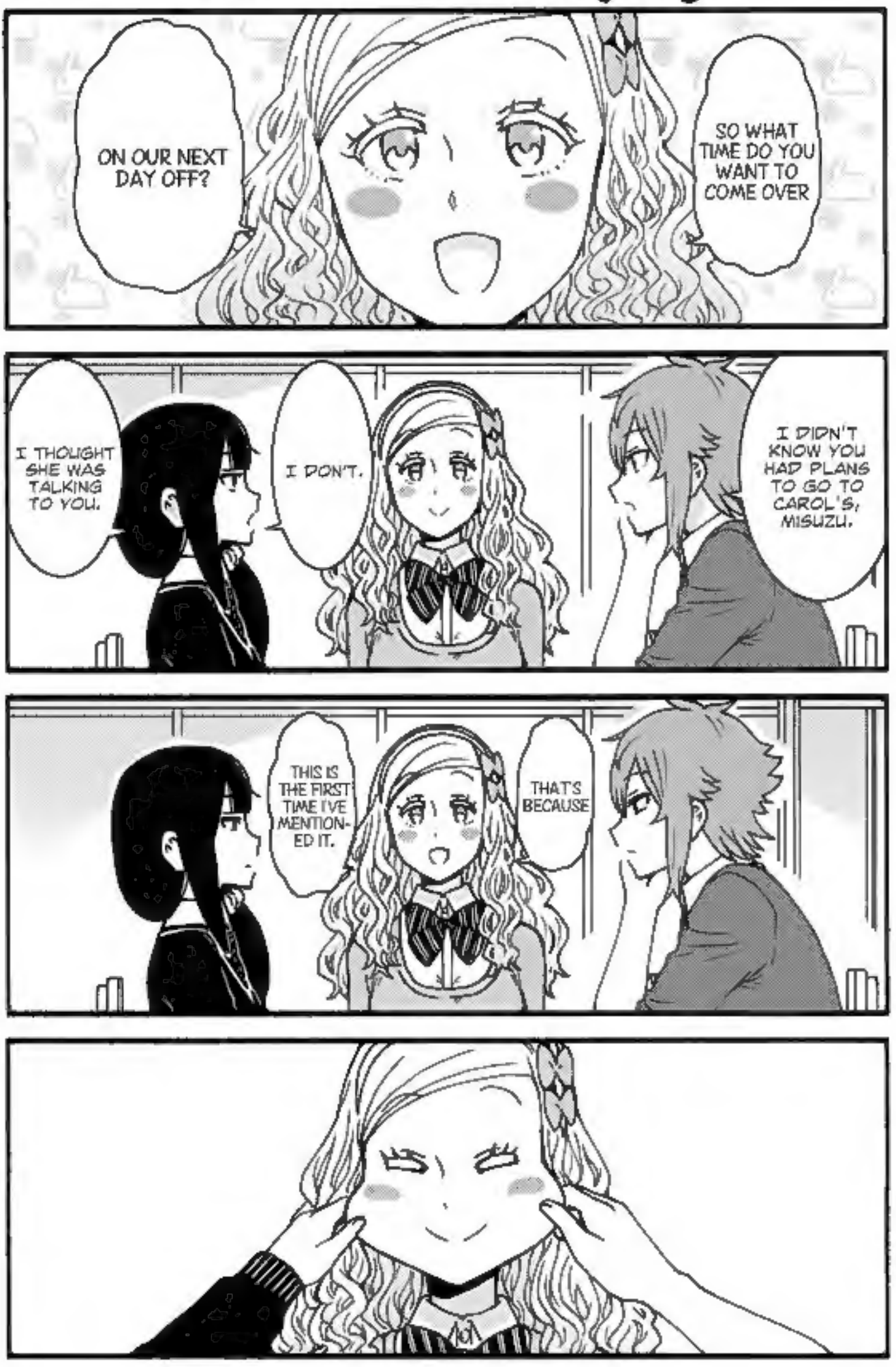
So As I Wasn't Saying


ON OUR NEXT DAY OFF?
SO WHAT TIME DO YOU WANT TO COME OVER
I THOUGHT SHE WAS TALKING TO YOU.
I DON'T.
I DIDN'T KNOW YOU HAD PLANS TO GO TO CAROL'S, MISUZU.
THIS IS THE FIRST TIME I'VE MENTION-ED IT.
THAT'S BECAUSE

I Knew You'd Come!

REALLY!?
WELL, IF YOU'RE INVITING US, I'D LIKE TO COME OVER TO YOUR HOUSE.
I kind of wonder what it's like.
UH...
I LOVE YOU, TOMO-CHAN!
YAAAAY!
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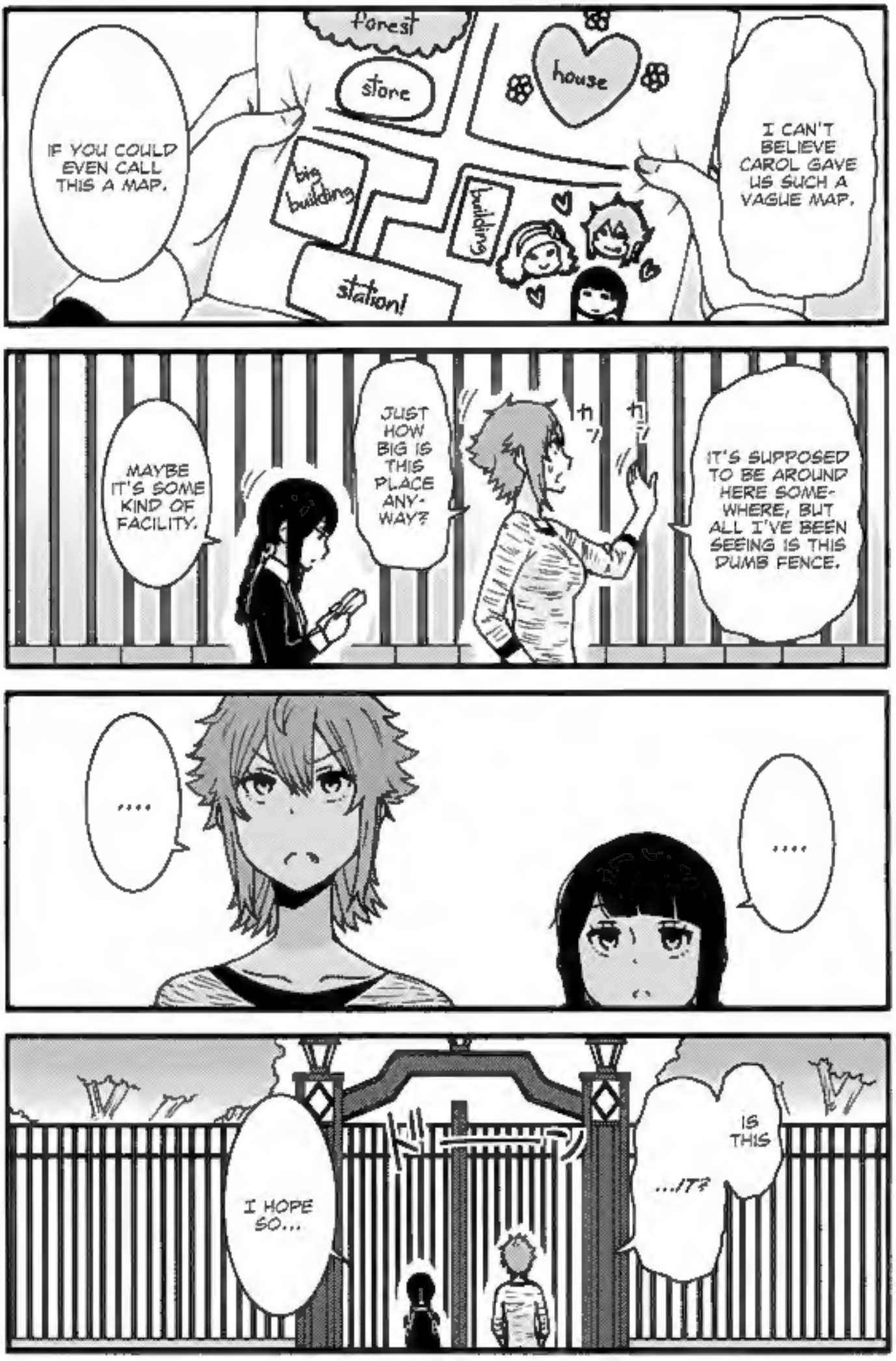
WHY DO YOU SOUND MAD?
REALLY!? AWESOME!
I WONDER IF I'D BE ALLOWED TO COME AS WELL?

It Can't Be!


IF YOU COULD EVEN CALL THIS A MAP.
forest
store
house
big building
building
station!
I CAN'T BELIEVE CAROL GAVE US SUCH A VAGUE MAP.
MAYBE IT'S SOME KIND OF FACILITY.
JUST HOW BIG IS THIS PLACE ANY-WAY?
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IT'S SUPPOSED TO BE AROUND HERE SOME-WHERE, BUT ALL I'VE BEEN SEEING IS THIS DUMB FENCE.
....
....
I HOPE SO...
IS THIS ...IT?

An Olston Family Member

WHAT'S THIS—
WE SHOULDN'T PUSH IT EVEN IF THERE WAS ONE, UNTIL WE'RE SURE THIS PLACE IS SAFE.
EVEN IF THIS IS THE PLACE, I DON'T SEE A DOOR-BELL OR ANYTHING TO RING.
IN FRONT OF OUR HOUSE?
WHAT ARE YOU TWO DOING
ARE YOU SUSPICIOUS PEOPLE?
THAT'S DEFINITELY SOMEONE FROM HER FAMILY.
THAT IS DEFI-NITELY...

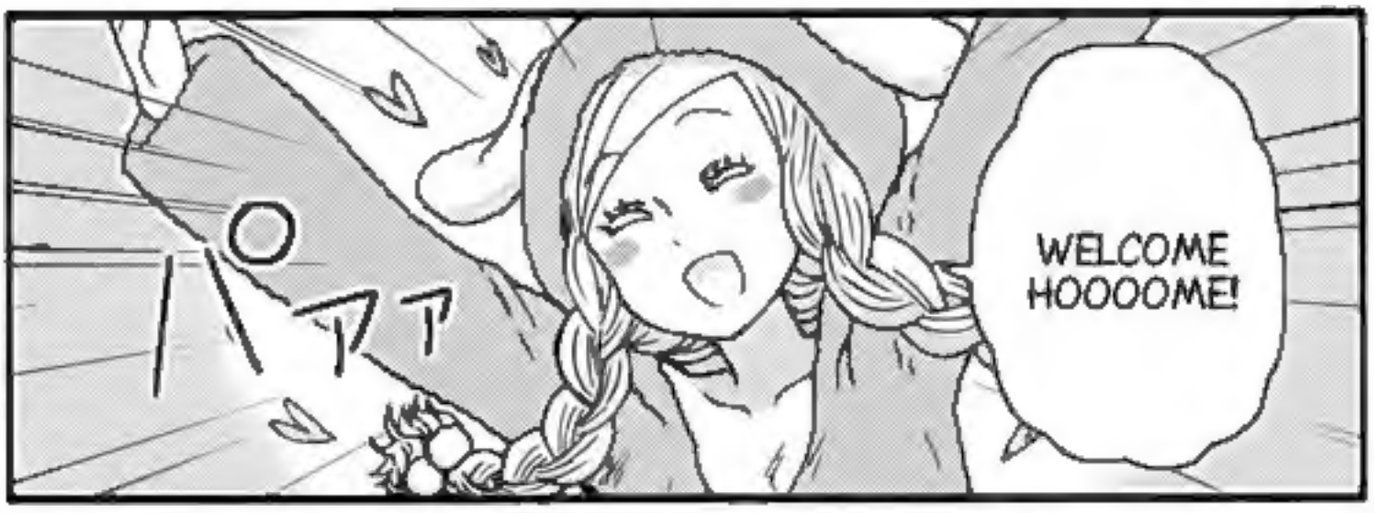
Doubt

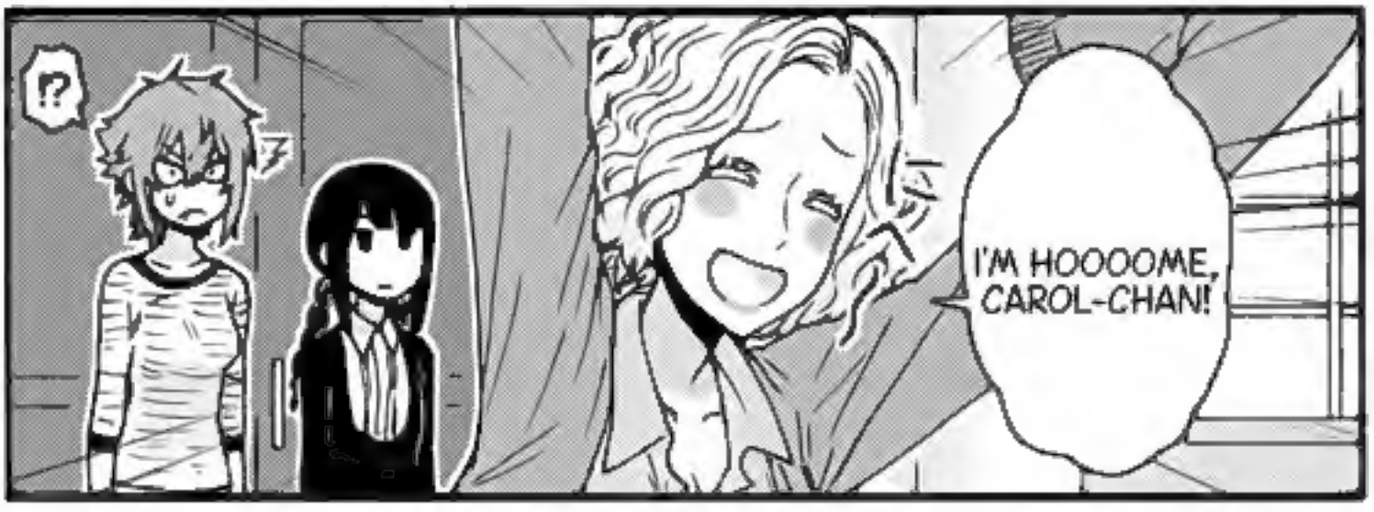
HOW CAN I BE SURE YOU *REALLY* ARE JUST HER FRIENDS?
CAROL'S FRIENDS?
ARE YOU *SURE* YOU'RE NOT JUST A PERVERT WHO'S AFTER CAROL'S BODY?
WHAT?
ビク
HUH?
ビュン
ESPECIALLY THE BIG ONE OVER THERE!
HM?
YOU BOYS ARE ALL... JUST...
WELL, I KNOW THE TRUTH!
UH...
I AM A *GIRL* AFTER ALL...
YOU HAVE BOOBS.
OH...

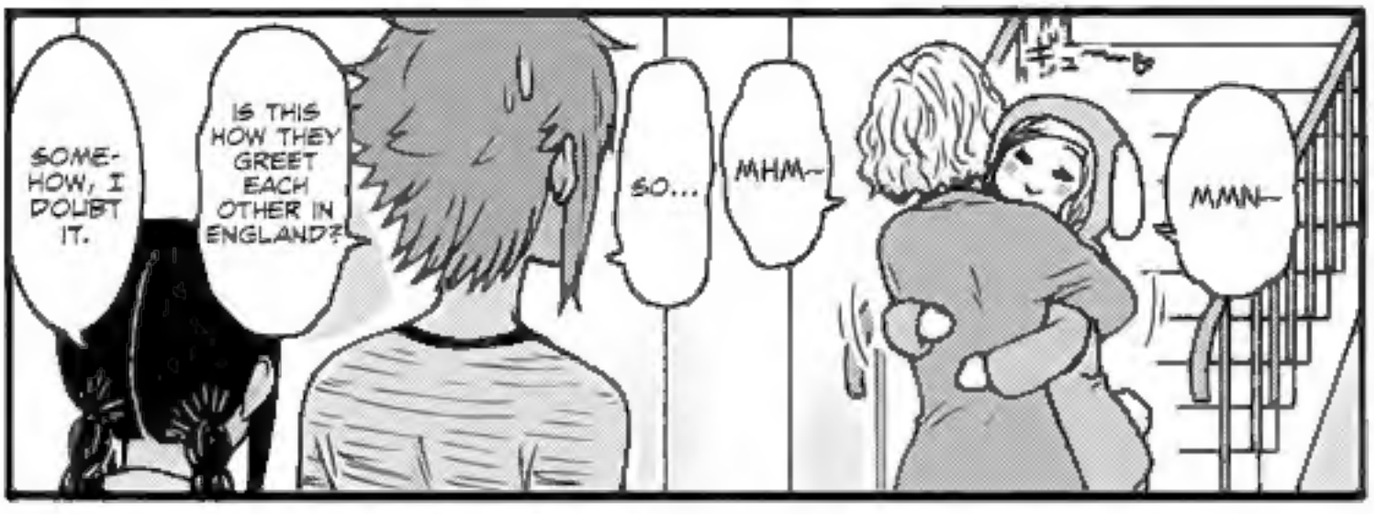
Hope

I CAN'T HANDLE THIS ALL BY MYSELF...
NO WAY!
I KIND OF WANT TO GO BACK NOW.
OH, SO YOU REALLY ARE HER FRIENDS. WHY DIDN'T YOU SAY SO?
Come in, come in~
EH...
ピク
ALTHOUGH, SOMETIMES I GET LOST ALONG THE WAY TOO.
THE PATH TO OUR HOUSE IS LIKE A MAZE, SO TRY NOT TO LOSE SIGHT OF ME, OKAY?
I'LL BE FINE THIS TIME.
AH... BUT DON'T WORRY.
MAYBE I REALLY SHOULD GO HOME...
WELL, I HAVE A BAD FEELING ABOUT TODAY.
...ABOUT TODAY.
BECAUSE I HAVE A GOOD FEELING...

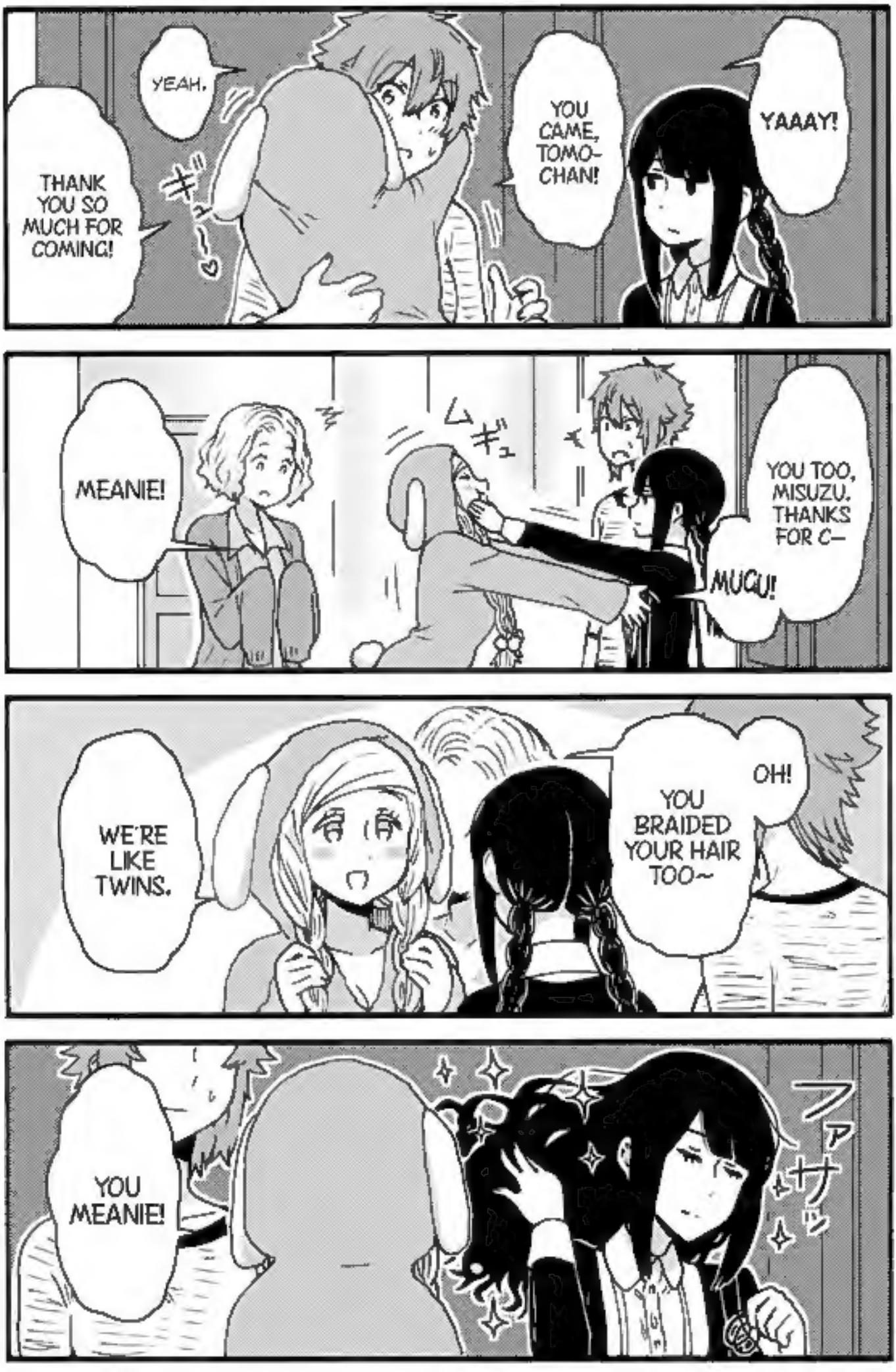
A Welcoming Carol



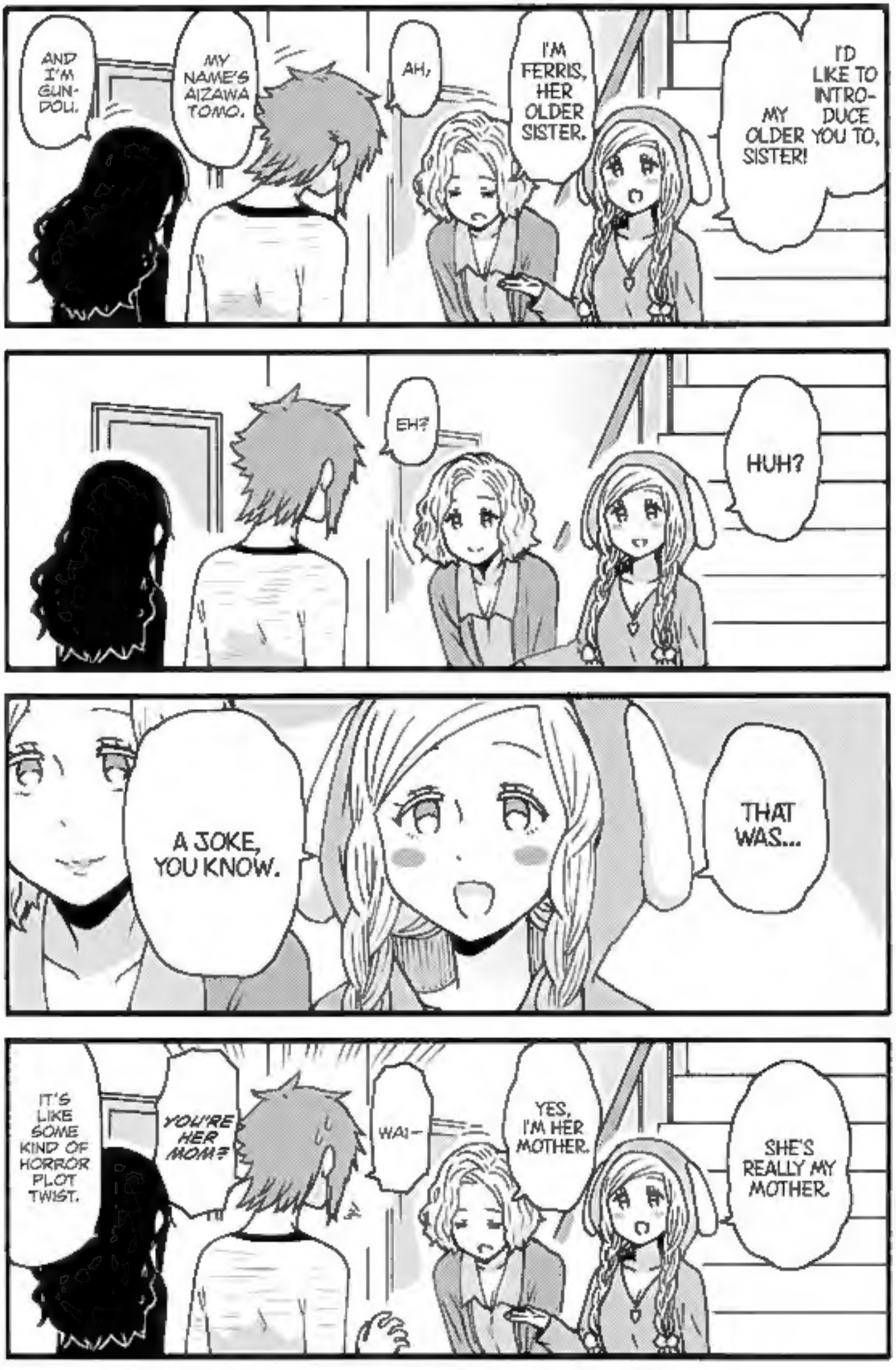




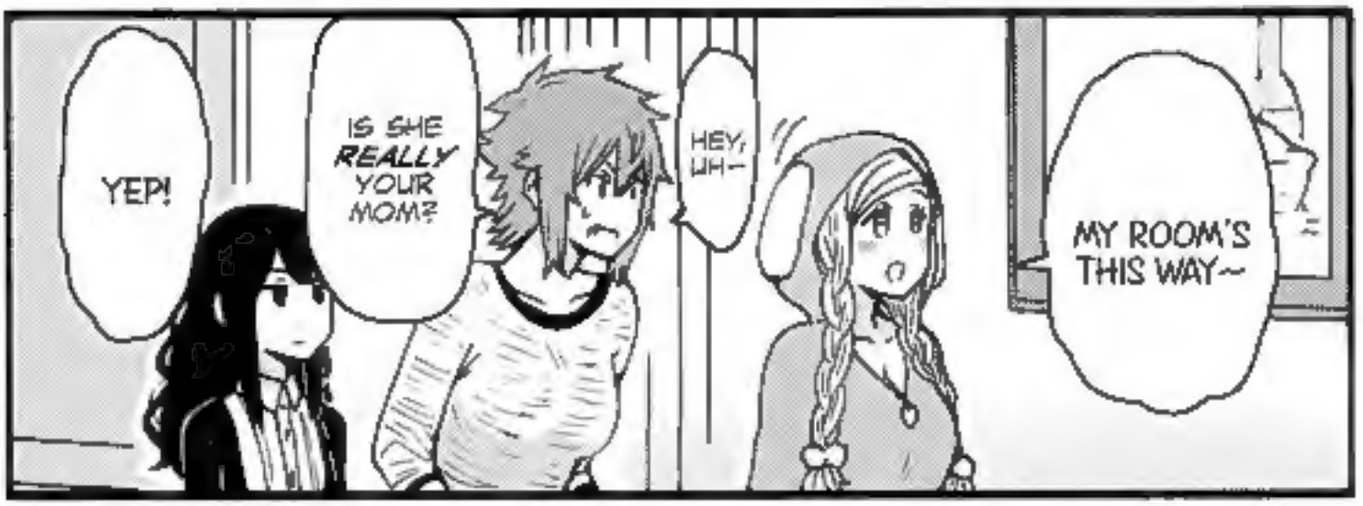
Whatever Do You Mean?



There's No Way



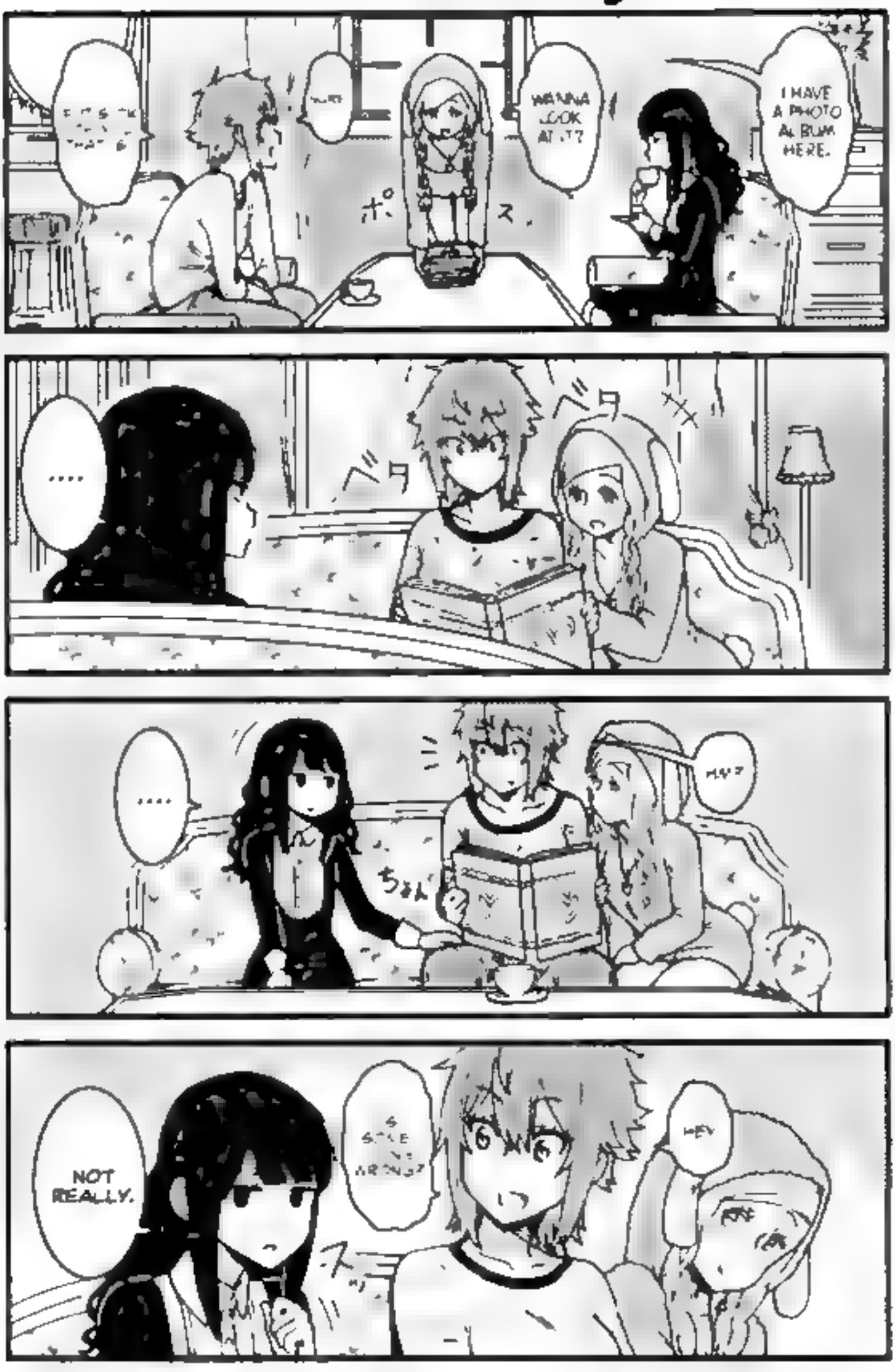
I'll Pretend I Didn't Hear That



SHE'S GOTTA BE IN HER 30'S AT MOST, OR SOMETHING...
Is that even possible...
DO ALL WESTERNERS JUST LOOK THAT YOUNG?
NO, NO. THAT'S NOT IT.

Princess Carol

Tried Touching



For No One Else

YOU KNOW
IT SEEMS LIKE YOU'VE BEEN WEARING RIBBONS YOUR WHOLE LIFE
YEP!
MY MOTHER SAID THAT WAS HER PUDDING.
WHAT?
HER PUDDING!
THAT'S WHY SHE ALWAYS GAVE ME CUTE, FLUFFY WESTERN CLOTHES TO WEAR.
AND THE RIBBON WAS THE SUPER IMPORTANT CHERRY ON TOP!
BUT WHAT SHE SAID IS MOST IMPORTANT S-
TO NOT LET ANY-ONE EAT IT CORRECT?
HUH?
WOW, HOW'D YOU KNOW?
Amazing!

Stalking

I SAW WHERE IT WAS ON OUR WAY IN
SURE. IT'S
I'D LIKE TO BORROW YOUR REST-ROOM.
AH.
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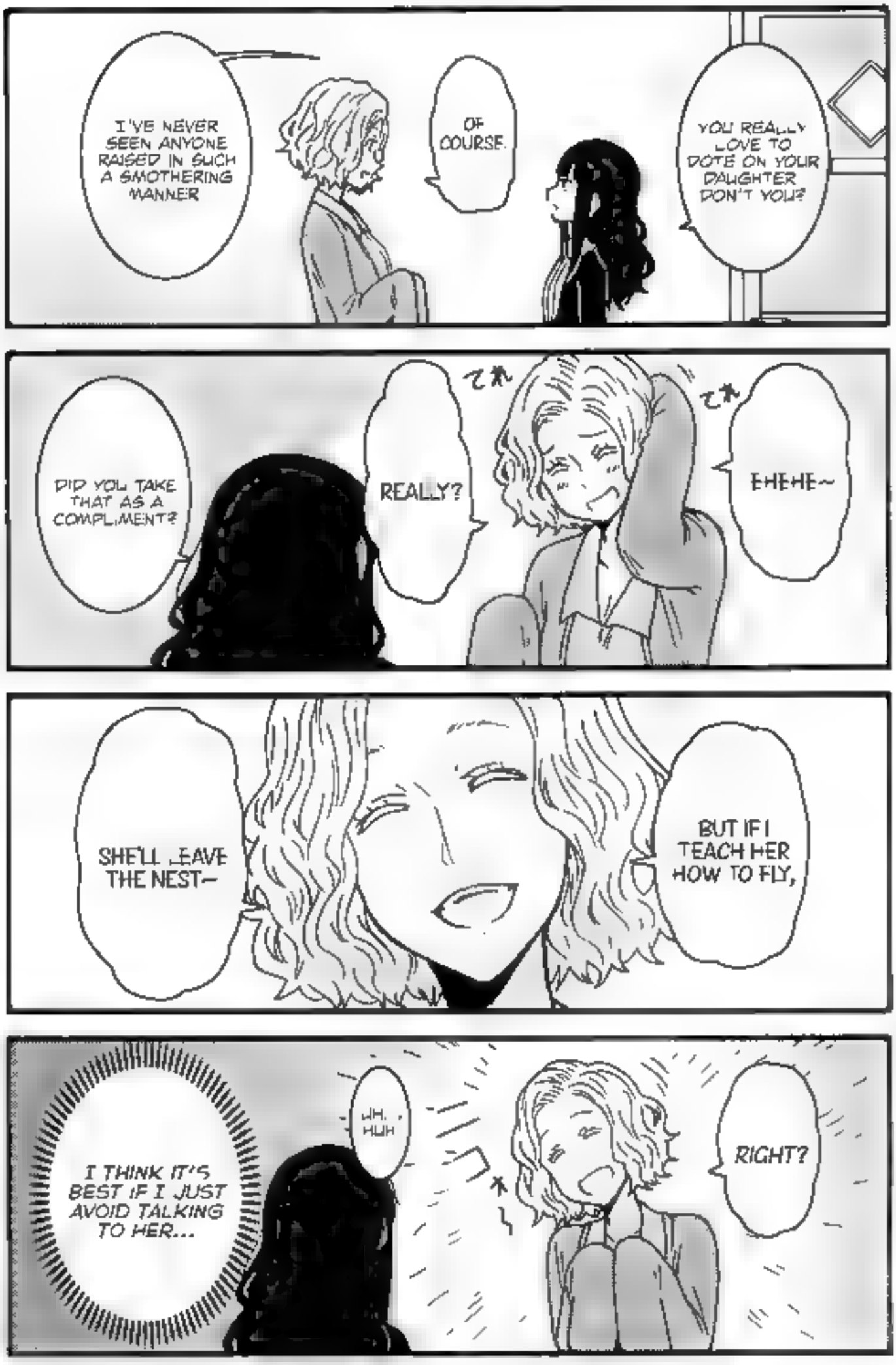
....
YOU'RE STARTING TO SCARE ME.
YES~
REST ROOM
UM. ARE YOU STILL OUT THERE?

A Family That Lacks Common Sense

IS THERE SOME BUSINESS YOU HAVE WITH ME?
YOU WERE BULLYING CAROL-CHAN EARLIER, WEREN'T YOU?
ARE YOU ACTUALLY A BAD GIRL?
AH. SO THAT'S WHAT IT WAS.

You Retort, You Lose


I'VE NEVER SEEN ANYONE RAISED IN SUCH A SMOTHERING MANNER
OF COURSE.
YOU REALLY LOVE TO DOTE ON YOUR DAUGHTER DON'T YOU?
DID YOU TAKE THAT AS A COMPLIMENT?
REALLY?
EHEHE~
SHE'LL LEAVE THE NEST—
BUT IF I TEACH HER HOW TO FLY,
I THINK IT'S BEST IF I JUST AVOID TALKING TO HER...
UH, HUH
RIGHT?

Incapable of Comprehending

LET'S PLAY OTHELLO, TOMO-CHAN!
OTHELLO EH? I'M NOT GONNA HOLD BACK
ALRIGHT THEN, I'LL BE WHITE.
FIVE MINUTES LATER
N-NO WAY.
YOU BETTER WATCH OUT MISUZU!
WHAT?
I'M TELLING YOU SHE'S BAD NEWS
LET'S GO AGAIN~

Utter Defeat

I'LL HAVE YOU KNOW: MISUZU'S HELLA GOOD AT OTHELLO!
I hope you're ready!
WELL, I SUPPOSE IT'S TRUE I DON'T LOSE VERY OFTEN.
REALLY? ALRIGHT THEN, I'LL BE WHITE AGAIN!
TEN MINUTES LATER
....
HUH?
LIKE MOTHER LIKE DAUGHTER EH?
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT?

After Carol's

I Haven't Shrunk

WE ARE
YEAH
WE'RE SETTING OUR OWN MEASUREMENTS FOR THE FUTURE
SO ARE YOU TALL?
WE WOULD COMPETE OVER WHO WAS TALLER EVERY TIME
AW
IS THAT NOT AS FUN AS IT USED TO BE
TO GET THEIR HEAD PATTED BY THE GUY THEY LIKE!
ISN'T THIS EVERY GIRL'S DREAM?
BUT I JUST WANT TO PUNCH HIM RIGHT NOW.
BUT TO THINK WE'VE SHRUNK THIS MUCH
OR AT LEAST IT SHOULD BE.

What Would You Do?

JUST LEAVE ME ALONE
YOU LOOK ALL DEPRESSED
HEY, WHAT'S WRONG, MISUZU?
MEASUREMENTS~
WHO KNOWS I'D BE NICE IF YOU DID THOUGH~
YEAH!
DO YOU THINK I GOT TALLER?
HEY, HEY, TOMO-CHAN!
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
HUH?
WHEN WE GET MEASURED, WHAT WILL YOU DO IF IT TURNS OUT THAT I'M TALLER THAN YOU, TOMO-CHAN?
UHH...
I'D BE REALLY SURPRISED.
I MEAN, WHAT WOULD YOU DO IF I WAS BIGGER?

Her Worries

SURE YOU HAVE
YEAH, A WHOLE 2MM
HAVEN'T GROWN AT ALL.
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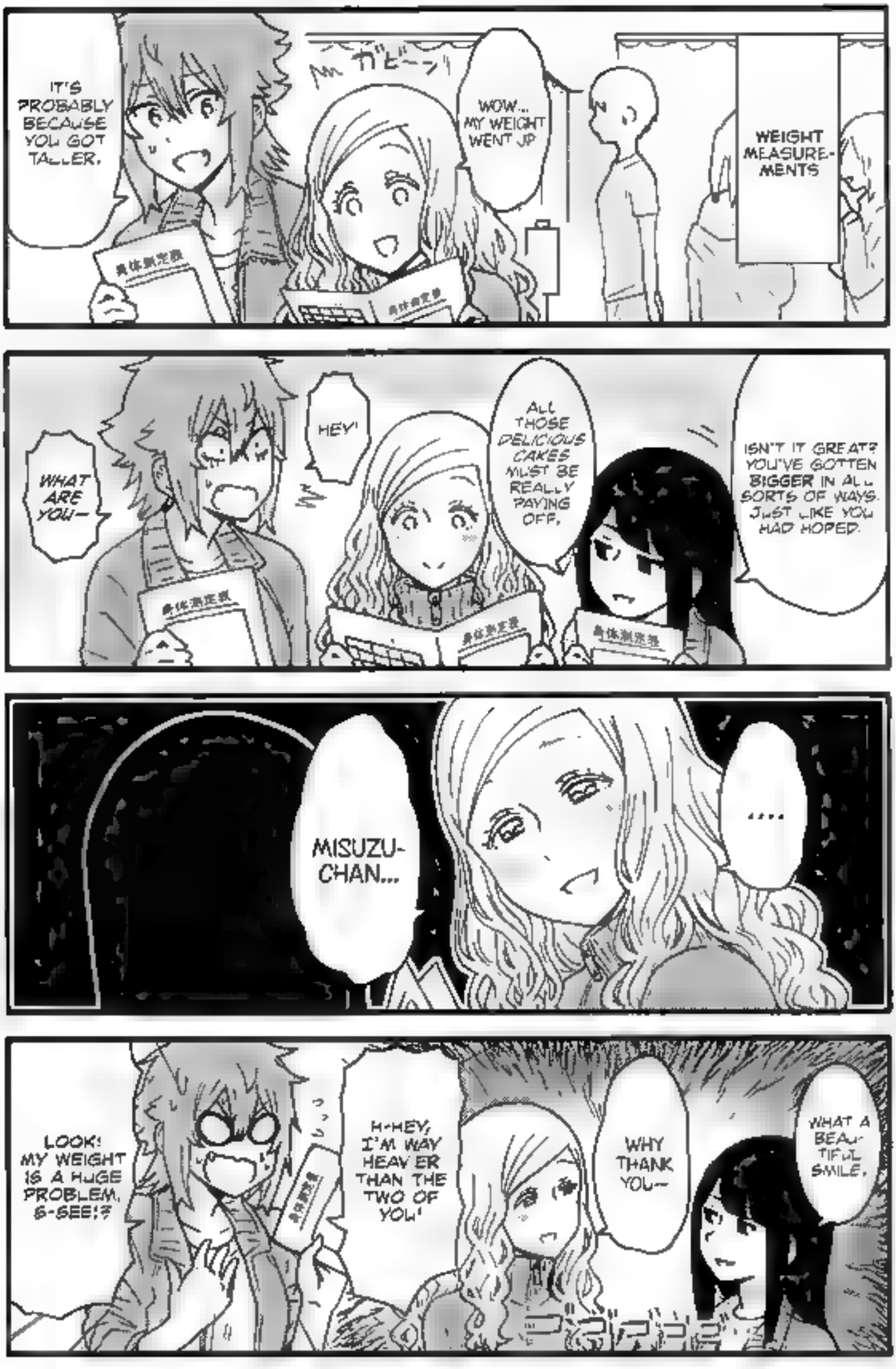
HAVING MEASURE-MENTS TAKEN
YOU IDIOT!
WHA-
IT'S REALLY CUTE HOW SMALL YOU ARE.
I'm kinda jealous
YOU KNOW, MISUZU,
HM?
CAROL...
....
I MEAN, I'M SO TALL THAT EVEN SOME OF THE GUYS ARE SHORTER THAN ME!
H-HEY, COME ON! IT'S WAY BETTER THAN BEING A GIANT LIKE ME
YES, I WONDER WHAT INDEED.
WHAT'S WRONG?

Pound for Pound


IT'S PROBABLY BECAUSE YOU GOT TALLER.
ガビーン!
WOW... MY WEIGHT WENT UP
WEIGHT MEASURE-MENTS
WHAT ARE YOU—
HEY!
ALL THOSE DELICIOUS CAKES MUST BE REALLY PAYING OFF.
ISN'T IT GREAT? YOU'VE GOTTEN BIGGER IN ALL SORTS OF WAYS. JUST LIKE YOU HAD HOPED.
MISUZU-CHAN...
....
LOOK! MY WEIGHT IS A HUGE PROBLEM, S-SEE!?
H-HEY, I'M WAY HEAVIER THAN THE TWO OF YOU!
WHY THANK YOU—
WHAT A BEAU-TIFUL SMILE.

Muscular Conversation

WHY DOES EVERYONE CARE SO MUCH ABOUT HOW SHORT OR HEAVY THEY ARE...
PHEW...
MAN. ALL THIS BICKERING HAS TIRED ME OUT
I PUT ON A LOT OF MUSCLE IN THE LAST YEAR SO I'M ALMOST 80 KILOGRAMS!
YO IT WENT PERFECTLY!
OH! HEY, JUN. HOW WAS IT?
REA-ALLY?
YOU'RE PROBABLY AROUND 70 KILOS OR SO RIGHT?
HOW ABOUT YOU?
WHAT ARE YOU GET TING ALL WORKED UP FOR?
I AM NOT THAT HEAVY!

There Once Was a Normal Child

YOU SHOULD LET ME COME OVER AND TRY IT OUT SINCE MY PARENTS DON'T REALLY LET ME GET GAMES.
FOR REAL?
WINNERS ELEVEN
OH YEAH I GOT THAT GAME YOU SAID YOU REALLY WANTED TO PLAY.
GAME BOY!
Wow, you're athletic.
GAME BOY!
Come on, step it up.
....
YOU KNOW NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT YOU USED TO BE MORE OF A GAMER BACK WHEN WE FIRST MET
How nostalgic.
HEY!
WHAT ARE YOU-
CUT IT OUT!
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....
WHAT THE HELL HAS GOTTEN INTO YOU?
WHAT THE-
DON'T EVER CALL ME THAT AGAIN.

The Queen of Games

YOU WANNA COME OVER TODAY?
IT'S BEEN FOREVER SINCE WE'VE PLAYED GAMES TOGETHER
CAN I REALLY?
TOTALLY!
YOU SHOULD STAY OVER SINCE WE HAVE OFF TOMORROW.
WE CAN GO ALL NIGHT!
ALL NIGHT ?
WE USED TO DO THAT ALL THE TIME WHEN WE WERE KIDS!
COOL! SO YOU'RE DOWN TO COME OVER THEN?
YOU BETCHA!
IT'S GONNA BE AWESOME!
I... GOT SO CAUGHT UP IN THE MOMENT THAT I DIDN'T EVEN REALIZE
THAT I'M STAYING OVER... AT JUN'S HOUSE!
SHE TRULY IS THE QUEEN OF GAMES.

Clinging to Carol

I'M STAYING OVER MISUZU STAY-ING O-VER!
WHAT THE HECK DO I DO!?
WELL..
WERE YOU PLANNING ON DOING ANYTHING?
NO!
THEN...
CAN I COME OVER TOO?
YOU'LL COME WITH ME, CAROL'?
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YOU'RE A LIFESAVER!
THANK YOU SO MUCH
CAN'T REALLY GO, CAN ?
IF YOU KNOW THAT THEN DON'T MAKE THINGS MORE COMPLICATED

The Pressure Builds

I'VE GOTTA TELL HIM THAT I CAN'T GO THROUGH WITH THIS!
WHAT?
I CAN'T DO IT!
HUH?
SIT DOWN
WAIT A SECOND, TOMO-CHAN.
...AND RELAX.
JUST SIT DOWN..
WHAT IS IT NOW?
THEY'RE ONLY EVER IN AGREEMENT WHEN IT COMES TO STUFF LIKE THIS..
ugh
...TO BACK OUT NOW.
IT'S TOO LATE...

Technically a Computer

I DIDN'T KNOW YOU LIKED VIDEO GAMES, TOMO-CHAN. IT'S KINDA SURPRISING.
REALLY?
SEEMS PRETTY NORMAL TO ME.
SHE IS BASICALLY A GUY AFTER ALL
YOU DON'T SEEM LIKE THE TYPE TO PLAY GAMES HUH CAROL
I PLAY OTHELLO!
I MEAN MORE LIKE,
YOU KNOW, COMPUTER GAMES AND STUFF LIKE THAT...
COMPU... TER...
I LIKE WHACK-A-MOLE!
THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEANT EITHER.

Airheaded Bargaining

WHA—
J-JUN!?
ビクッ
TOMO LET'S GO HOME TOGETHER'
I UH, I PROMISED TO GO HOME WITH MISUZU TODAY..
OHH REALLY?
ALRIGHT I'LL BE WAITING FOR YOU AT HOME THEN.
O-OK
ギクッ
UGH.
AT HIS HOUSE!
YOU'LL BE SEEING HIM SOON ENOUGH ANYWAY.
RESISTANCE IS FUTILE TOMO.
WILL YOU PLEASE JUST SHUT UP!?
OH COME ON!
ALMOST LIKE WHAT?
THE WAY SHE TEASED HIM BY SAYING THEY SHOULD GO HOME SEPERATELY IT'S ALMOST LIKE

Mach Speed

HEY MOM.
I'M GONNA STAY OVER AT JUN'S HOUSE TONIGHT
....
WH -
WHAT'S WRONG?
I SEE .. I DIDN'T THINK THIS WOULD BE HAPPENING SO SOON. .
I GUESS IT'S ABOUT TIME TO START THINKING ABOUT IT THOUGH. .
ABOUT WHAT?
A NAME FOR MY GRAND-CHILD.
HOW'D YOU SKIP TO THAT ALREADY?

Can't Lend It Anymore

That's It?

I KNOW, I KNOW!
I'm going already!
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MAKE SURE YOU TELL GOROU THAT YOU'RE GOING TOO.
Have fun~
JUST MAKE SURE YOU DON'T CAUSE THEM ANY TROUBLE YOU HEAR?
I SEE
I'M SAYING OVER AT JUN'S HOUSE TONIGHT!
DAD!
スラ スラ
HUH?
....
THE FACT THAT HE'S NOT WORRIED AT ALL IS KIND OF DEPRESSING IN ITS OWN RIGHT. .
YOU CAN GO NOW. YOU KNOW?
WHAT'S WRONG?

The Real Complaints Start Now

I'VE BEEN WAITING FOR YOU.
YO!
HEY, I'M HERE.
I'LL BE SURE TO TELL MY PARENTS TOMORROW THAT YOU BROUGHT THESE
TOMOR ROW?
THANKS
HERE MY MOM TOLD ME TO BRING THESE
think they're snacks or someting
YEAH.
MY PARENTS AREN'T HERE TODAY.
They're out traveling right now
NO, YOU IDIOT!
DID YOU NEED SOME THING FROM THEM?
HUH?
WHY THE HELL DIDN'T YOU TELL ME THAT SOONER!?

Mach 2

WHA—
YOU MIND GETTING THAT FOR ME? MY HANDS ARE KIND OF FULL RIGHT NOW.
OH, YEAH.
WHOA, JUN, YOUR PHONE'S RINGING
MAN...

JUN'S MOM!?
OH, IS THAT YOU, TOMO-CHAN? SO YOU REALLY DID COME OVER AFTER ALL!
THIS IS THE KUBOTA RESI-DENCE
HELLO?

YEAH?
NOW I DON'T WANT BE TOO CRASS SINCE THE TWO OF YOU ARE STILL YOUNG, BUT I'D LIKE FOR YOU TO REMEMBER
AH YEAH, THANKS FOR LETTING ME COME OVER
JUN TOLD ME YOU WOULD BE COMING OVER TODAY

ARE YOU SERIOUS RIGHT NOW!?
WITH RAISING THE CHILD.
IF ANY THING HAPPENS, I'LL BE HERE TO HELP YOU.

Recovery Period

IT WAS YOUR MOM ON THE PHONE
REALLY? I MEAN YOU WERE SMILING PRETTY HOLD BACK THERE
WHAT DID SHE SAY?
NOTHING!
OH?
YOU'RE COOKING JUN?
UHH YEAH JUST SOME CURRY YOU'LL EAT THOUGH RIGHT?
SURE
BUT SERIOUSLY
IF YOU HAD JUST TOLD ME I WOULD'VE COOKED FOR YOU
RIGHT
WELL YOUR COOKING IS SOMETHING.
I'D LIKE TO HAVE ANOTHER TIME
REALLY?
JUST SAY THE WORD AND I'LL MAKE YOU SOMETHING
YEAH

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Bathtub Blues

I USUALLY TAKE ONE AT NIGHT SO I WAS PLANNING ON BORROWING YOURS.
YEAH
OH YEAH ARE YOU GONNA TAKE A BATH?
OK...
RIGHT
AFTER THAT, WE'LL PLAY GAMES UNTIL WE DROP!
IN THAT CASE JUST TAKE IT AFTER WE'RE DONE EATING.
ALL YOU NEED TO DO IS HEAT UP THE WATER AND YOU'RE GOOD TO GO.
I TOOK ONE BEFORE YOU CAME BY, SO...
I SAID I'LL JUST TAKE A SHOWER!
IT'S SO MUCH BETTER TO TAKE A NICE LONG SOAK TO WARM YOURSELF UP.
WHA- WHY?
ON SECOND THOUGHT, I'LL JUST TAKE A SHOWER!

Maybe Just a Little...

My Best Friend's in My Bathroom

Wet Best Friend

SORRY FOR THE WAIT, JUN
LET'S GET PLAYING ALREADY!
WAIT A SEC ..
WHY ARE YOUR CHEEKS ALL RED?
DON'T TELL ME YOU...
SORRY. BUT IT'S NOT WHAT-EVER YOU THINK IT IS.
TRUST ME ON THIS.

Dry Best Friend

As Long as She's Having Fun

DON'T UNDER-EST:MATE ME!
YOU KNOW IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE WE LAST GOT TO PLAY. YOU SURE YOU DON'T WANT ME TO GO EASY ON YOU?
I'VE GOT YOU NOW YOU'RE W'DE OPEN.
AND. THAT! TAKE THIS!
AND SHE... SCOORES!
COME ON! SHE SHOOTS—
I TOLD YOU THERE'S NO WAY I'D LOSE!
NAHA HAHA!
YOU'RE... PRETTY GOOD AT THIS...

Believing Too Much in Your Friend

I LOST AGAIN!
....
GOD DAMMIT!
WELL
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WHY THE HELL CAN'T I WIN?
WHERE DO YOU EVEN PUT HIM?
IN THE FRONT.
IT WOULD HELP IF YOU ACTUALLY KEPT YOUR GOALIE AT THE GOAL.
YOU'VE GOT THE SKILLS BUT YOU KEEP ON TRYING TO MAKE TOO MANY BIG PLAYS.
NO-B-D- ASKED ^-^
YOU'RE LIKE THAT ABOUT EVERY-THING.
OFFENSE IS THE BEST DEFENSE.
Boy

A Return to the Beginning

GAME BOY.
SHUT UP.
BEING ROWDY IS FINE AND ALL BUT HOW ABOUT KEEPING T INSIDE THE GAME FOR ONCE.
NAHAHA! S-SORRY! I'M SORRY!
I TOLD YOU NOT TO CALL ME THAT!
....
AH.
S-SURE
WANNA GO ANOTHER ROUND?

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Good Kids

CAN YOU EVEN STAY UP THAT LATE?
SO WHAT NOW? WE WERE GONNA STAY UP ALL NIGHT RIGHT?
WOW, IT'S ALREADY 9 P.M. .
Time sure flies, huh.
REALLY? THAT'S IT?
WHA-
I'LL HAVE YOU KNOW THAT I'VE STAYED UP UNT L 11 30 PM BEFORE.
WHO DO YOU THINK YOU'RE TALKING TO?
STAYED UP UNTIL MIDNIGHT BEFORE.
I'VE...
HEH IT WAS NO BIG DEAL
ISN'T THAT THE NEXT DAY ALREADY!?
N-NO WAY
M-MID-NIGHT!?

Can't Fall Asleep

Hit and Doze

A Bit Too Late

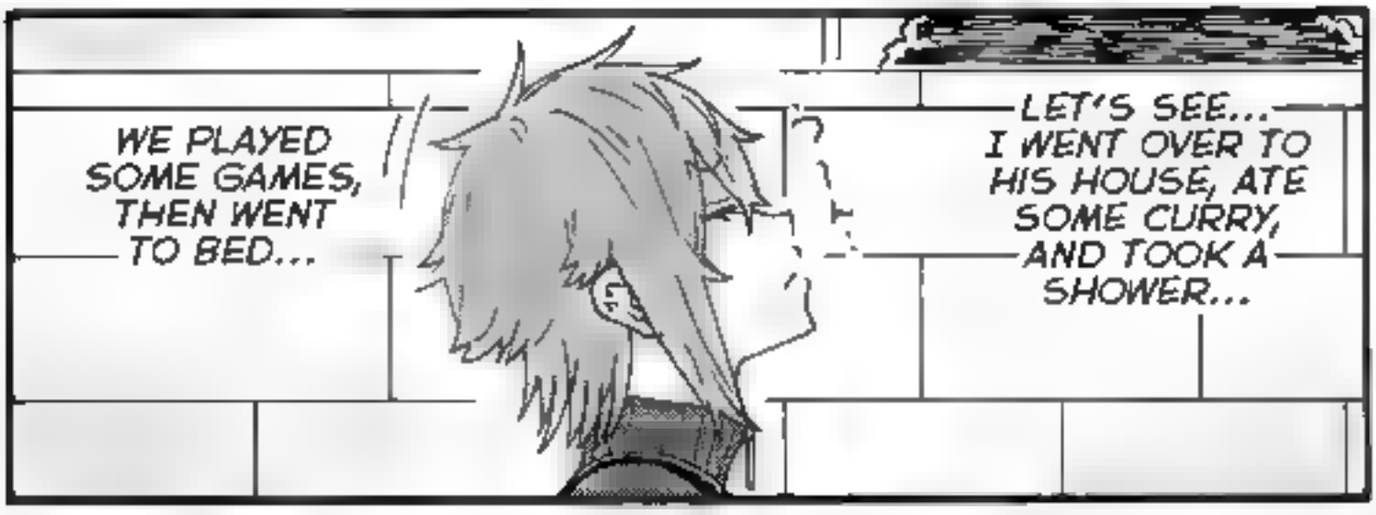
You Snooze, You Lose

EVEN THOUGH WE'RE ALWAYS TOGETHER, I'VE NEVER REALLY HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO STUDY HIS FACE CLOSELY LIKE THIS...
....
HMM, YOU KNOW, NOW THAT I THINK ABOUT IT...
OHH.. SO THIS IS WHAT THEY FEEL LIKE
EVEN THE SMALL THINGS, LIKE HIS EARS..
WHAT ABOUT HIS NOSE?
THIS IS A LITTLE TOO FUN..
CRAP...

Automated Defense System

Morning

The Night Only God Knows



School Day of Conviction

Broke Down

MAN. THAT'S CRAZY
REALLY?
HA HA HA
AND THAT'S WHAT HAP-PENED
HAVE YOU BEEN STUDYING?
OH YEAH.
WE'VE GOT OUR MIDTERMS TOMORROW
NO WAY.
TOMO!
NO. WAY.
TOMO?
UH...

Not a Laughing Matter

HEY, MISUZU.
DID YOU KNOW WE HAVE OUR MIDTERMS TOMORROW?
I'M AMAZED YOU'RE EVEN ASKING ME THAT RIGHT NOW.
I WAS SO ABSORBED WITH THE FACT THAT I WAS STAYING OVER AT JUN'S HOUSE THAT I TOTALLY FORGOT..
I'M SO SCREWED.
SO YOU REALLY HAVEN'T STUDIED AT ALL, HUH?
YOU KNOW THAT IF YOU FAIL YOUR EXAMS IN HIGH SCHOOL...
YOU END UP GETTING EXPELLED, RIGHT?
SHE'S LYING, TOMO.

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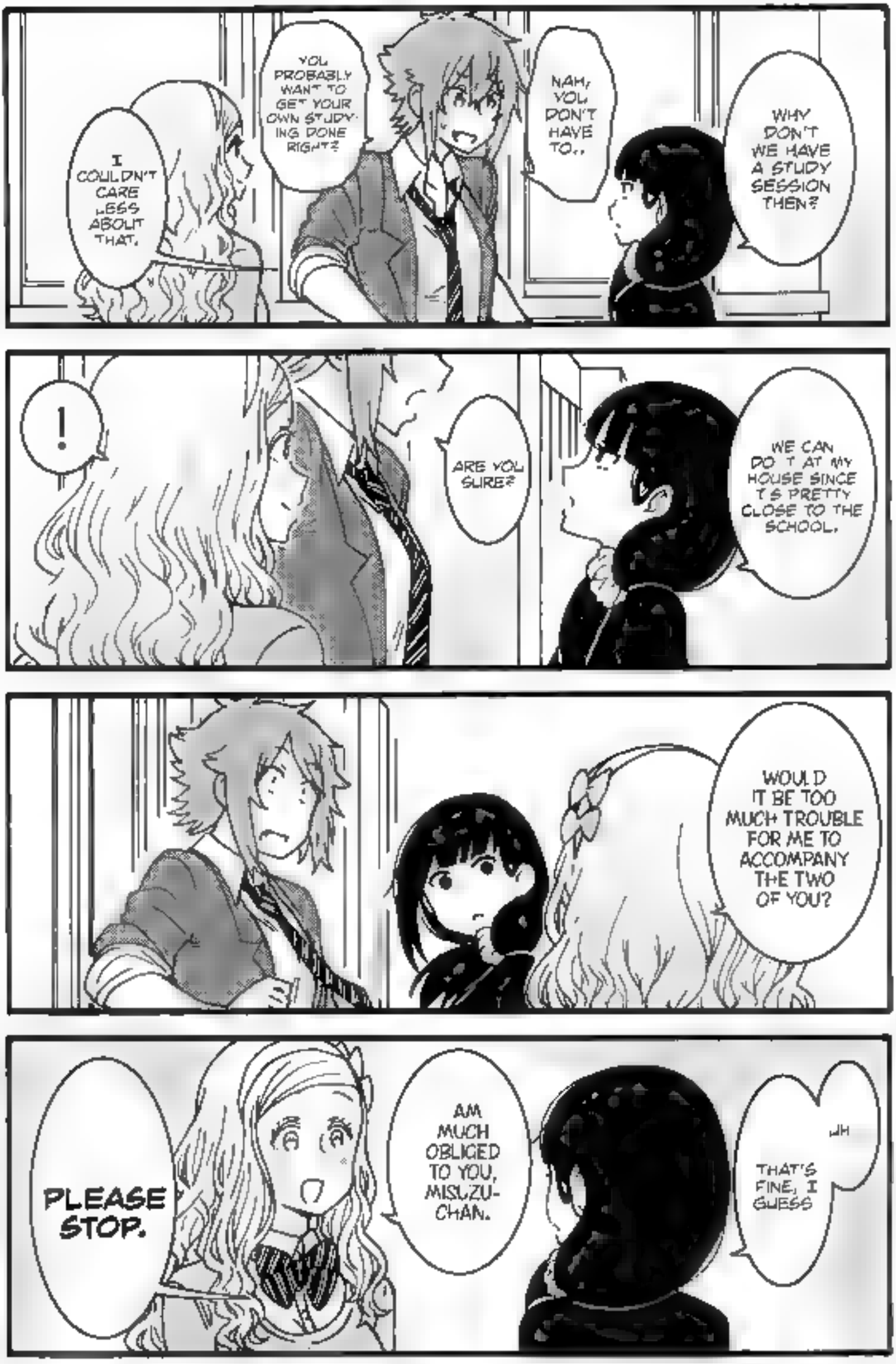
Us in the Future

YOU ARE PLANNING ON GOING TO COLLEGE RIGHT?
COLLEGE? I MEAN. I GUESS SO. YEAH.
THEN YOU NEED TO BE MORE SERIOUS WITH YOUR STUDIES.
AT THE VERY LEAST GET ON THE SAME LEVEL AS ME
WHA—
NO WAY! YOU KNOW HOW IMPOSSIBLE THAT WOULD BE FOR ME?
YOU WERE FIRST PLACE IN MIDDLE SCHOOL SO MANY TIMES
....
I DON'T THINK I COULD EVER EVEN COME CLOSE TO YOU NO MATTER HOW HARD I TRY.
JUST SHUT UP AND STUDY.
WAIT, WHAT?
YOU NEED TO APOLOGIZE, TOMO-CHAN!
F-FOR WHAT?

Wanted to Go No Matter What


I COULDN'T CARE LESS ABOUT THAT.
YOU PROBABLY WANT TO GET YOUR OWN STUDYING DONE RIGHT?
NAH, YOU DON'T HAVE TO..
WHY DON'T WE HAVE A STUDY SESSION THEN?
!
ARE YOU SURE?
WE CAN DO IT AT MY HOUSE SINCE IT'S PRETTY CLOSE TO THE SCHOOL.
WOULD IT BE TOO MUCH TROUBLE FOR ME TO ACCOMPANY THE TWO OF YOU?
PLEASE STOP.
I AM MUCH OBLIGED TO YOU, MISUZU-CHAN.
UH THAT'S FINE, I GUESS

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Above Average

OH! HEY, JUN.
WHAT ARE YOU GUYS TALKING ABOUT?
YO, TOMO!
IF YOU WANTED TO STUDY, YOU COULD'VE JUST ASKED ME YOU KNOW.
WHOA, FOR REAL?
WELL, THE THREE OF US ARE PLANNING ON HAVING A STUDY SESSION FOR IT
YOU KNOW HOW WE'VE GOT MIDTERMS TOMORROW, RIGHT?
HE MAY LOOK LIKE A COMPLETE MUSCLEHEAD NOW, BUT.
UNFORTUNATELY, YES.
WAIT... DOES JUN-KUN ACTUALLY KNOW HOW TO STUDY?
I CAN HEAR YOU, YOU KNOW.
OI.
CAN KIND OF SEE WHAT YOU MEAN.
OH—
BACK WHEN WE WERE YOUNGER, HE USED TO BE AN INTROVERTED GAMER BOY

Can't Back Down

JUST BECAUSE YOU SPENT ONE NIGHT WITH HER DOESN'T MEAN YOU CAN START ACTING ALL COCKY.
WHAT?
GOT A PROB-LEM WITH THAT?
ズ!!
WHOA.
SO YOU'RE SAYING YOU'LL HELP TOMO STUDY, HUH
I GOT AROUND THIRTIETH OR SOMETHING. WHAT DOES THAT HAVE TO DO WITH ANYTHING THOUGH?
HUH?
TELL ME WHAT RANK DID YOU GET FOR OUR FINAL EXAMS IN MIDDLE SCHOOL?
I PLACED FIRST.
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WELL, BECAUSE
O-OK
LET'S GET GOING.
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GOD DAM-MIT

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I'm Her Best Friend Too

WELL
USUALLY YOU'RE ALWAYS TRYING TO PAIR UP JUN AND I TOGETHER.
WHAT'S?
HAHA, YOU KNOW IT'S KINDA SURPRISING.
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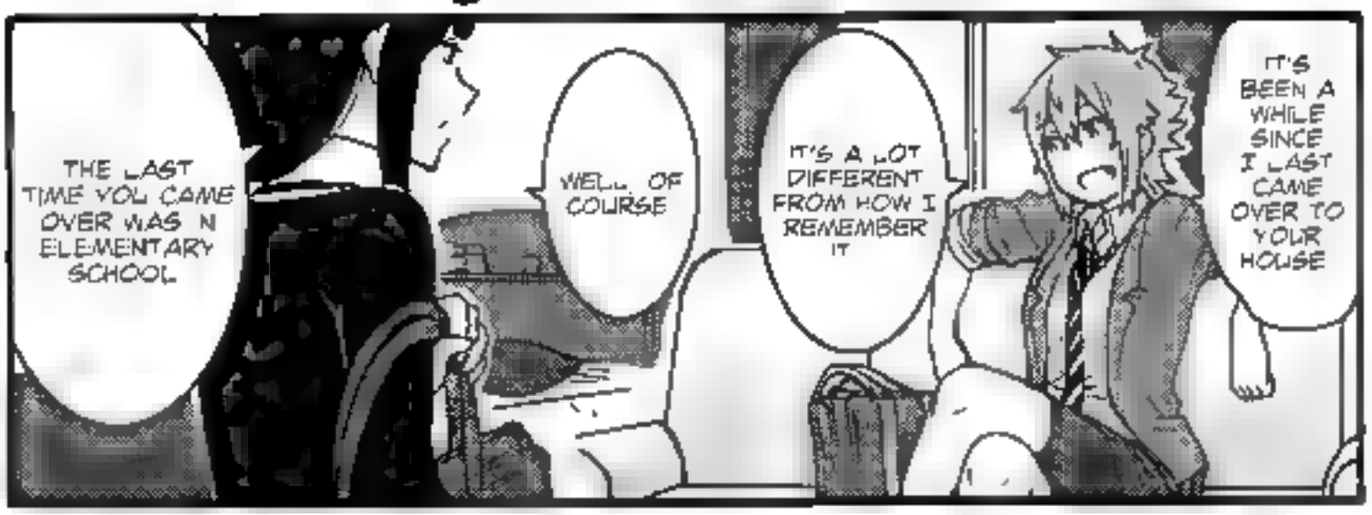
AH!
BUT TODAY YOU'RE KIND OF-
FOR A GIRL TO WANT TO HANG OUT WITH HER BEST FRIEND?
IS IT SO WRONG...
FORGET ABOUT IT.
HEY, YOU CAN LEAN ON ME TOO!

I Can't Believe It's Not Sarcasm

King of Destruction


IT'S BEEN A WHILE SINCE I LAST CAME OVER TO YOUR HOUSE
IT'S A LOT DIFFERENT FROM HOW I REMEMBER IT
WELL, OF COURSE
THE LAST TIME YOU CAME OVER WAS N ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

OH, YOU DON'T COME HERE OFTEN EITHER, TOMO-CHAN?
NOPE. BACK WHEN WE WERE KIDS SHE TOLD ME NOT TO COME HERE ANYMORE.
I DON'T REMEM-BER WHY THOUGH.
YOU DON'T, REMEM-BER?

O-OH, YEAH! THAT... THAT DID HAPPEN. Y-YEAH...
YOU JUST COULDN'T SIT STILL COULD YOU?
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EVEN NOW I'M WORRIED ABOUT HAVING YOU COME OVER TODAY
H-HEY I'M NOT A KID ANYMORE IT'LL BE F NE, DON'T WORRY

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AH, IT SEEMS MISUZU IS HOME ALREADY AS WELL
I'M HOME
WHAT'S THIS?
THEY LOOK AS IF THEY BELONG TO A BOY..
THESE SHOES..
BROUGHT HOME A'BOY-FRIEND!?
DON'T TELL ME SHE...

Old Friend

ABOUT THOSE SHOES IN THE ENTRYWAY..
MISUZU..
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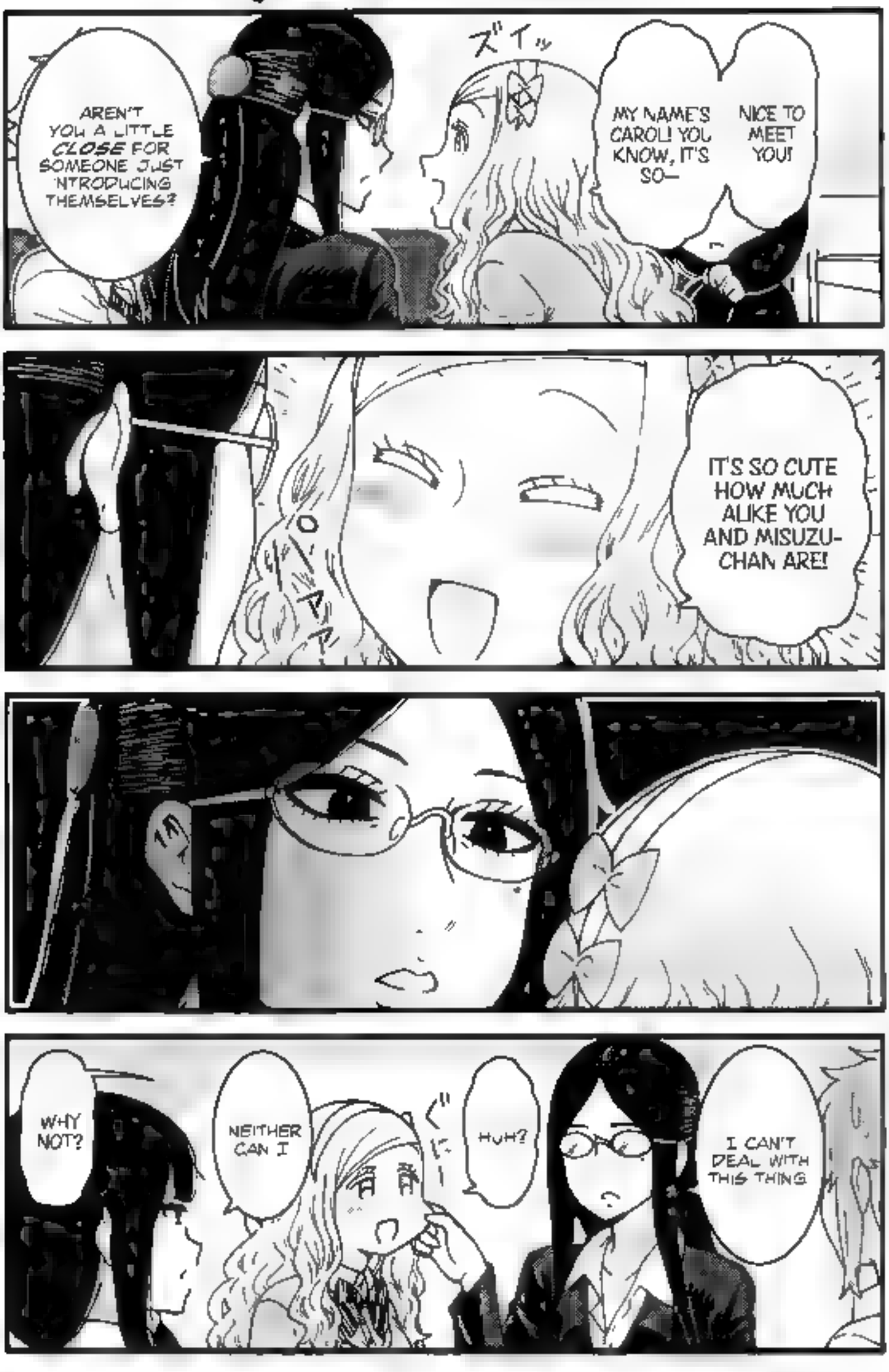
AK-
ピンポーン
SORRY FOR JUST DROPPING BY
AH WELCOME HOME MOTHER.
OH! I'M HER DAUGHTER
TOMO-CHAN!?
NO UM..
AKEMI?
O-OK...
DON'T GROW UP TO BE LIKE HER THOUGH, YOU HEAR ME?
I'M SORRY YOU LOOK JUST LIKE HER..

There's Something There

Mysterious Lifeform


AREN'T YOU A LITTLE CLOSE FOR SOMEONE JUST INTRODUCING THEMSELVES?
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MY NAME'S CAROL! YOU KNOW, IT'S SO—
NICE TO MEET YOU!
IT'S SO CUTE HOW MUCH ALIKE YOU AND MISUZU-CHAN ARE!
WHY NOT?
NEITHER CAN I
HUH?
I CAN'T DEAL WITH THIS THING

A Happy Miscalculation

I SEE.
WELL I'M GLAD MY PREDICTION OF YOU FAILING EVERYTHING TURNED OUT TO BE INCORRECT
YEAH, THAT'S PRETTY SURPRISING!
I SWEAR I'M GONNA DECK THE TWO OF YOU BY THE END OF THIS.

But You're Fluent!

YEAH, RIGHT.
ME? I'M SMART!
SO WHAT ABOUT YOU CAROL?
You sure you've got time to be wasting around here?
NO WAY!
GOT ONE-HUNDREDS ON BOTH MY MATH AND SCIENCE TESTS!
BACK IN MIDDLE SCHOOL,
U U
THAT'S .. QUITE A DROP
BUT THEN, GOT TWENTIES ON MY JAPANESE AND SOCIAL STUDIES TESTS.
APPARENTLY MANY NATIVE ENGLISH SPEAKERS HAVE DIFFICULTY WITH JAPANESE WRITTEN ENGLISH TESTS.
AREN'T YOU SUPPOSED TO BE ACING THOSE?
OH, AND GOT SIXTIES IN ENGLISH.

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She Did

AS LONG AS YOU FOLLOW THE STEPS WITHOUT GETTING LOST, YOU'LL BE FINE
I'M BAD AT PROB LEMS LIKE THESE.
THE FORMULA S KIND OF LONG BUT NOT EXACTLY HARD.
HOW ABOUT THIS ONE?
HUH?
RIGHT?
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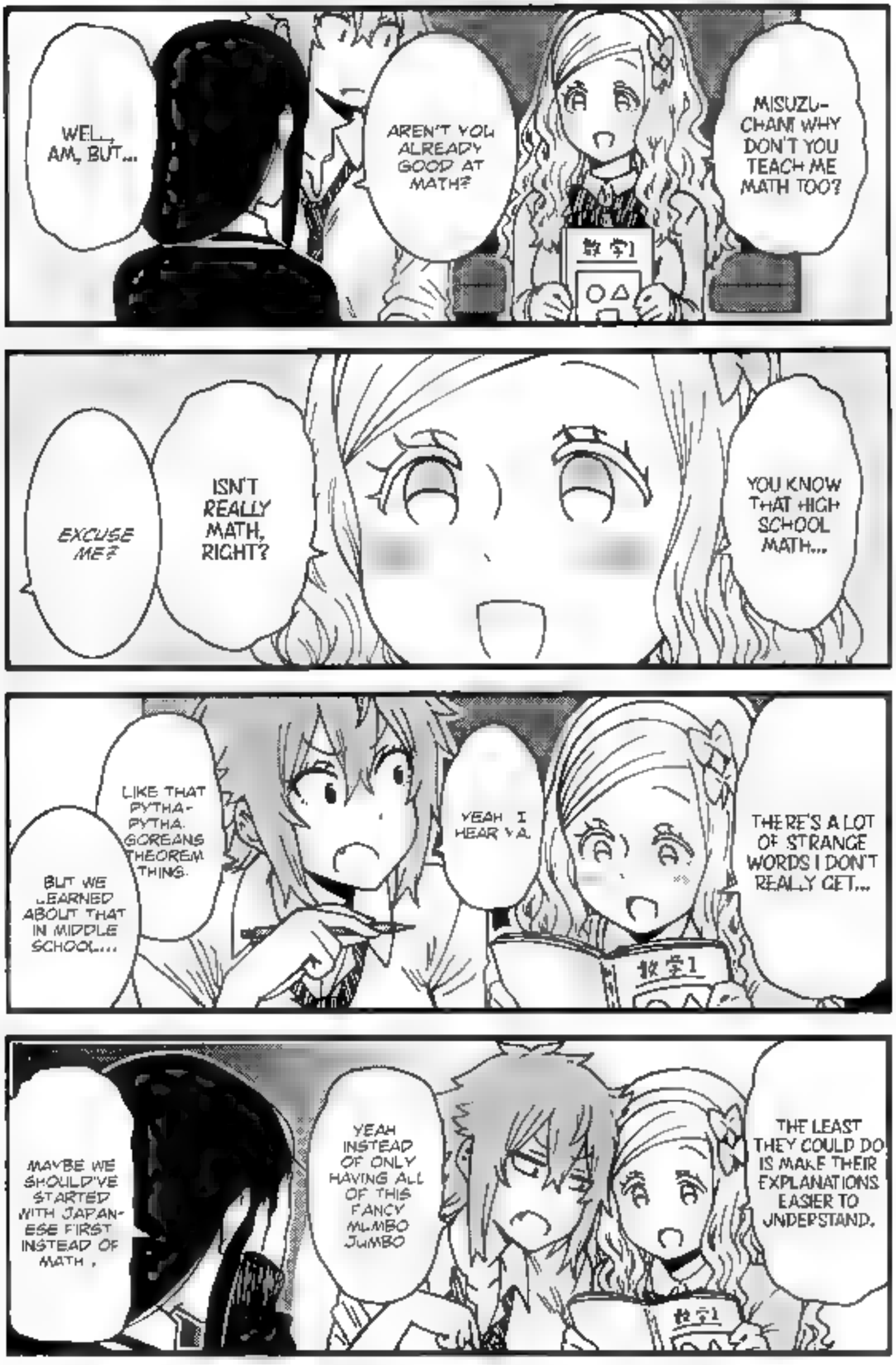
FOR REAL?
SHE'S RIGHT
YOU DID!?
BUT I DID!
EVEN IF IT S AN EASY PROBLEM, IT S NOT SOMETHING YOU CAN JUST DO 'N YOUR HEAD
BUT HOW!?

The Two Instinctive Ones

IF THAT WAS ALL IT TOOK TO DO THIS THEN MATH WOULDN'T BE SO--
THIS GUY AND THIS GUY ARE FRIENDS, SO YOU JUST FWHOOMP THEM TOGETHER AND GASHAAN THIS, AND THEN YOU'RE DONE!
WELL, YOU SEE...
JEEZ, CAROL, ARE YOU A GENIUS OR SOMETHING? HOW DID YOU DO THAT!?

HOW INEFFICIENT
I KNOW RIGHT?
THAT'S TOO MUCH WORK.
YOU GET JUST AS MANY POINTS FOR THE ANSWER AS YOU DO THE WORK YOU SHOW. SO IF YOU CAN'T PUT THE FORMULA DOWN TOO YOU WON'T GET FULL POINTS.
I DON'T KNOW HOW YOU MANAGED TO FIGURE THAT OUT BUT

Understanding>Calculating


WEL... AM, BUT...
AREN'T YOU ALREADY GOOD AT MATH?
MISUZU-CHAN! WHY DON'T YOU TEACH ME MATH TOO?
EXCUSE ME?
ISN'T REALLY MATH, RIGHT?
YOU KNOW THAT HIGH SCHOOL MATH...
BUT WE LEARNED ABOUT THAT IN MIDDLE SCHOOL...
LIKE THAT PYTHA-PYTHA. GOREANS THEOREM THING.
YEAH I HEAR YA.
THERE'S A LOT OF STRANGE WORDS I DON'T REALLY GET...
MAYBE WE SHOULD'VE STARTED WITH JAPAN-ESE FIRST INSTEAD OF MATH.
YEAH INSTEAD OF ONLY HAVING ALL OF THIS FANCY MUMBO JUMBO
THE LEAST THEY COULD DO IS MAKE THEIR EXPLANATIONS EASIER TO UNDERSTAND.

Aptitude

I COULD TOTALLY SEE YOU BECOMING A TEACHER THOUGH!
EH?
THAT'S NOT SOMETHING YOU SHOULD REALLY BE PROUD OF.
COME ON DON'T BE SO HUMBLE! YOU CAN TEACH WELL ENOUGH THAT EVEN I CAN UNDERSTAND IT!
And not just anyone can do that!

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In Their Own World

YOU WANTED TO DO THAT?
!
THEN GETTING INTO THE SAME COLLEGE AS YOU MIGHT NOT BE JUST A DREAM ANYMORE.
MAN IF I CAN KEEP THIS UP
WELL MAKING IT INTO THE SAME HIGH SCHOOL AS YOU WAS HARD ENOUGH SO I DON'T KNOW IF I CAN BUT I'LL KEEP TRYING..
OF COURSE
I SEE. .
BECAUSE YOU'RE MY BEST FRIEND
YOU CAN COME TOO.
YES. YES.
MMNNM!

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Broken Family Lineage

SEE YOU LATER, MISUZU-CHAN—
I'LL BE SURE TO KEEP STUDYING AT HOME.
THANKS FOR HAVING US OVER TODAY.
I TAKE IT YOU'LL BE COMING AGAIN?
YEP!
SEE YOU LATER TOO, MISUZU'S MOM—
YOU MEAN CAROL?
SHE KIND OF REMINDS ME OF ONE OF THOSE FRENCH DOLLS THEY MAKE OUT OF WOOD
YOU KNOW ..
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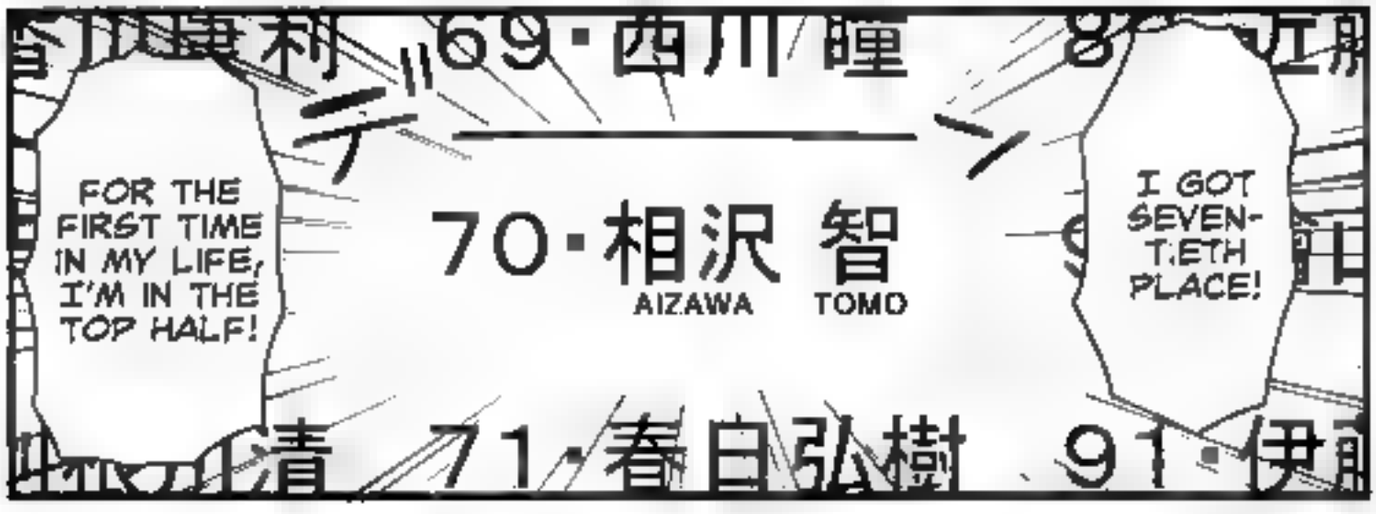
THAT MUST BE WHY I CAN'T HANDLE HER.
YEAH
I love you—
Honey!
Misuzu!
SHE'S A LITTLE LIKE YOUR DAD. DON'T YOU THINK?

Is This Really OK?

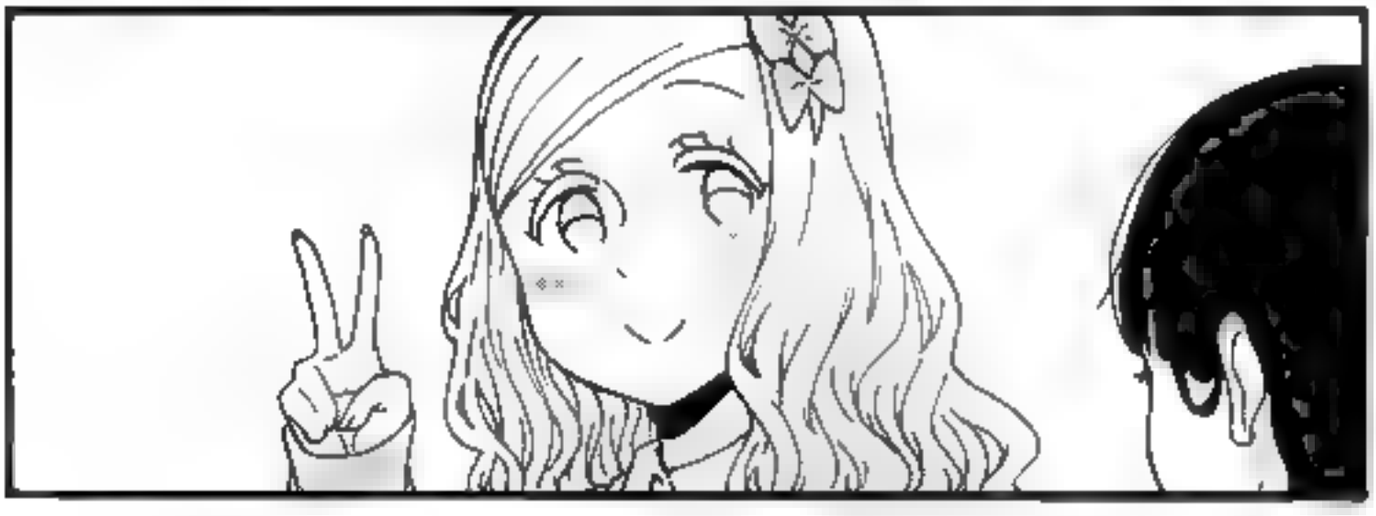
Out of 150 First Years



They Had Tomo-chan Get It

WHAT RANK DID YOU GET?
YOU BET I'M 70TH PLACE!
LOOKS LIKE YOU DID PRETTY WELL THIS TIME, EH?
AS EXPECTED OF SUCH A BORING MAN.
WHAT A SLACKER...
54TH.
1-A
NOT FOR THAT MAN
DON'T YOU THINK THIS IS GOING A LITTLE TOO FAR?

She Did Her Best



Seasonal Wear

SUMMER IS HERE
I MEAN, COME ON. I CAN SEE THEIR UNDER-WEAR FOR CRYING OUT LOUD!
HOW CAN THEY BE OK WITH WEARING THIS STUFF WHEN IT'S PRAC-TICALLY SEE THROUGH?
SHE'S EVEN MORE BOLD THAN—
WHOA... A STRAWBERRY PRINT!?
AH. . FIGURES I'D BE YOU.
GOOD MORNING, TOMO-CHAN!

As Expected of My Best Friend

Some People Just Go Too Far

I THINK IT'S WEIRD THAT NO ONE ELSE SEEMS TO MIND AT ALL YOU KNOW?
WHY *WOULDN'T* IT BOTHER ME?
DOES IT REALLY BOTHER YOU THAT MUCH BEING ABLE TO SEE YOUR UNDERWEAR THROUGH YOUR CLOTHES?
WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
HUH?
WELL I'VE TAKEN SOME MEASURES TO PREVENT IT BUT I SUPPOSE OTHERS FEEL IT'S JUST NOT WORTH THE TROUBLE.
IF YOU'RE THE TYPE OF PERSON THAT DOESN'T REALLY CARE HOW PEOPLE SEE YOU THEN WHY GO THROUGH THE TROUBLE AT ALL?
FOR INSTANCE, YOU CAN WEAR A SEPARATE LAYER UNDERNEATH LIKE ME, BUT DOING THAT MAKES IT WAY TOO HOT..
NO, THAT IS *NOT* OK
RIGHT?
SO YOU'RE SAYING *THIS* IS OK THEN, RIGHT?

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Questionably Provocative

Because It's Hot

Unique Sense of Shame

THAT'S CAUSE THIS STUFF SAYS UNDERWEAR
BUT WHERE ARE THE PANTS PEOPLE SEE UNDER SHORTS NEAR?
OH YEAH I HAVE TO ACT SO EMBARRASSED WHEN I HAVE TO TAKE YOUR PANTS OFF
Ah
Awww
I CAN'T BUY IT EVEN IF I WANT THAT
YOU KNOW SUMO YES ON REALLY HOT DAYS I JUST GO OUT RUNNING IN THIS
THEY'RE MADE LIKE THAT SO IT'S EASY TO MOVE AROUND IN
SO THEY WEAR STUFF THAT BUNCHES UP FOR NOTHING
BUT LIKE IT'S THE SAME SORT OF THING BIG SHORT DISTANCE RUNNERS WEAR
RIGHT?
BESIDES THERE'S NO WAY OUT THERE THAT'D THINK PERVY THOUGHTS ABOUT HARD RUNNERS

He is Interested

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SOME-THING LIKE THAT
YA GOT SUMMER FATIGUE OR SOME-THING?
WHAT'S WRONG, KUBO-JUN?
'TIS THE SEASON OF FLOWING SKIRTS AND SEE THROUGH SHIRTS
COME ON, KUBO-JUN CHEER UP
THAT'S.. EXACTLY WHY I CAN'T STAND THE SUMMER.
YOU BETTER SHUT YOUR MOUTH BEFORE I SHUT IT FOR YOU.
ARE YOU SURE YOU'RE NOT GAY?
OI... I'VE BEEN MEANING TO ASK THIS FOR A WHILE, DUDE, BUT ..

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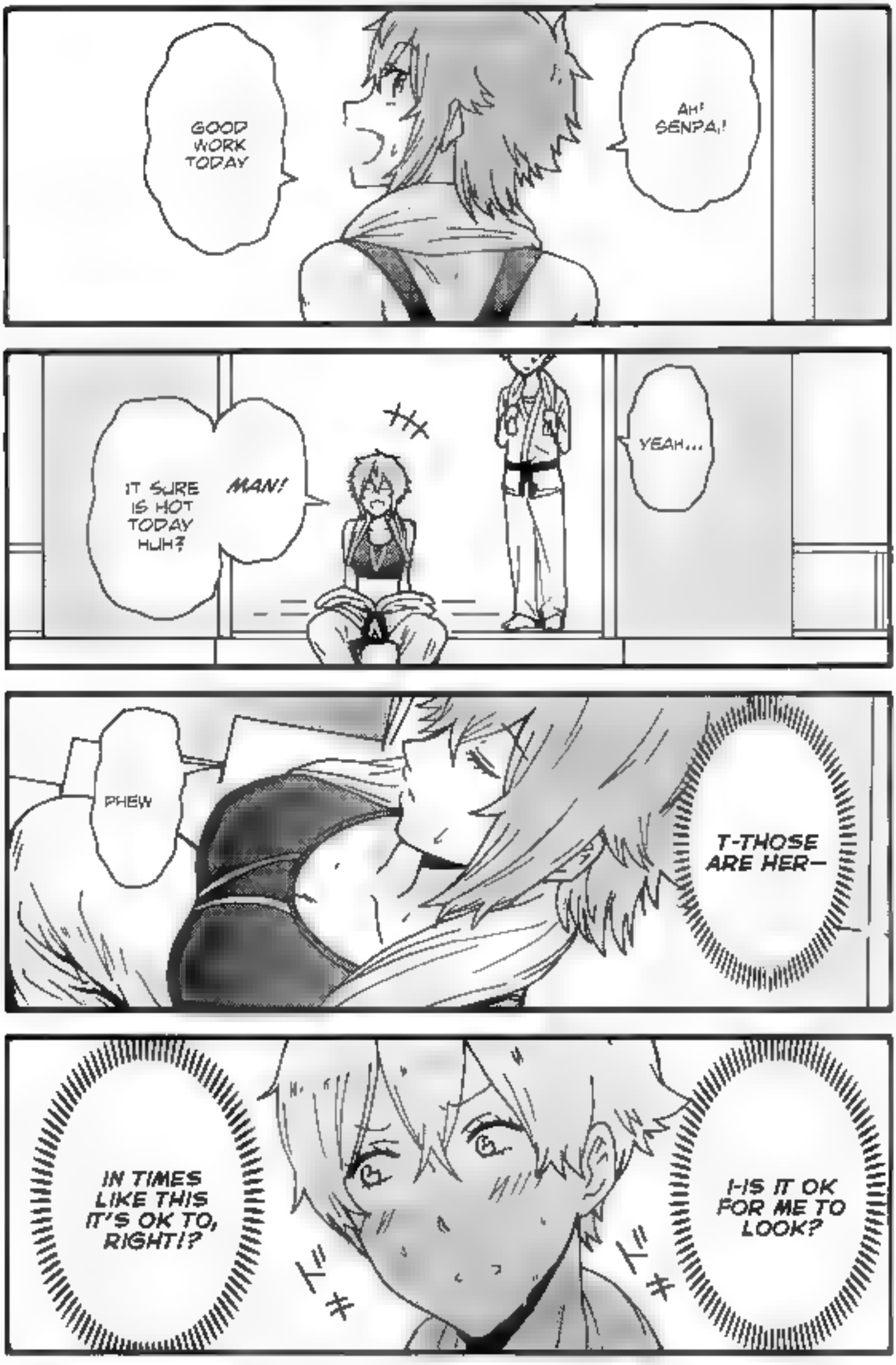
Just Say the Magic Word

MAN SUMMER UNIFORMS ARE AWESOME
Especially Misuzu-chan's
BUT HER CLOTHES AREN'T EVEN SEE THROUGH.
WHAT ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT? I CAN SEE EVERYTHING!
NO YOU CAN'T
THE AMOUNT OF SKIN YOU CAN SEE INCREASED!
THAT'S ENOUGH FOR ME.
AT LEAST ONE OF US IS HAPPY
OH YEAH YOU PROBABLY DON'T CARE, KUBO-JUN
BUT AIZAWA-SAN'S UNIFORM IS ALSO S--
WHAT WAS THAT
ABOUT TOMO?
WHOA! CHILL OUT! WHAT ARE YOU GETTING ALL WORKED UP FOR!?

The Sports Bra Incident



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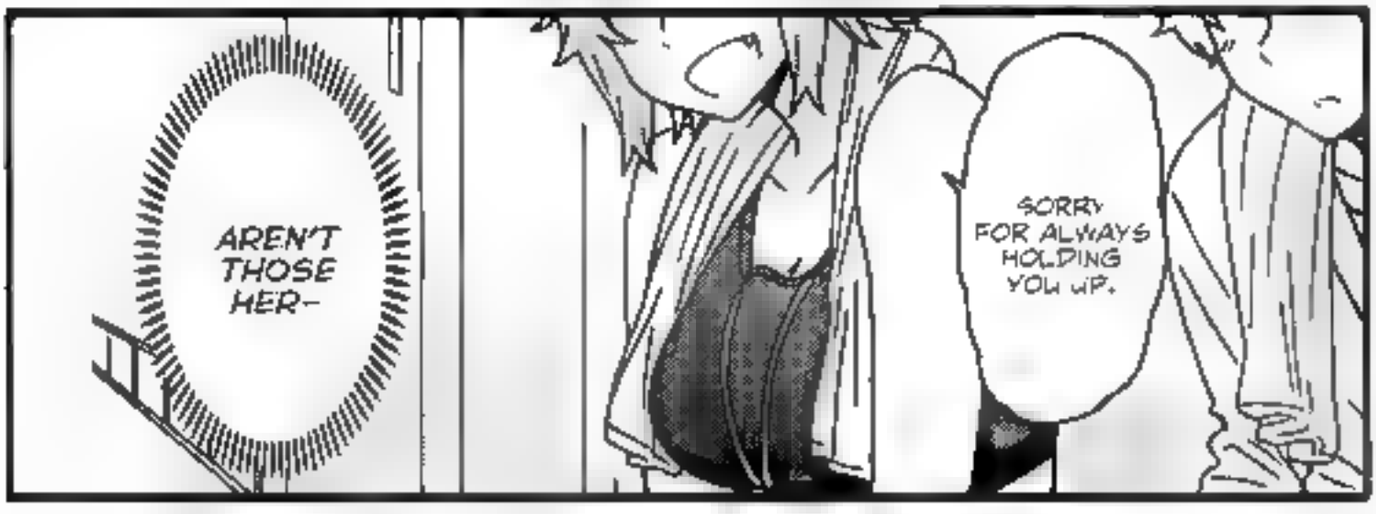

The Loser Has to Say It

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Point of Shame

THE LOSER
UMM, AIZAWA-SAN CAN I TALK TO YOU FOR A SECOND?
SURE WHAT'S UP?
I KNOW IT'S BEEN PRETTY HOT LATELY, BUT YOU HAVE TO REMEMBER THAT THIS IS THE MEN'S KARATE CLUB
SO, DON'T YOU THINK YOU OUGHT TO DRESS A LITTLE MORE MODESTLY?
H-HUH?
OH!
SORRY, I-I KNEW I SHOULDN'T HAVE, BUT IT WAS JUST SO HOT! I COULDN'T RESIST.
THIS ISN'T REALLY THE SORT OF THING I SHOULD BE SHOWING OFF TO PEOPLE.
I'm so embarrassed right now.
YEAH, I THINK YOU SHOULD MAYBE COVER YOURSELF UP A BIT.
I'VE BEEN SLACKING OFF EVER SINCE I GOT INTO HIGH SCHOOL
SO I'M NOT AS TONED AS I SHOULD BE...
NOT AS TONED?
THEY MANAGED TO CONVINCE HER TO WEAR A SHIRT FOR THE TIME BEING

No Way

MAN, TOMO SURE WAS A SIGHT TO BEHOLD. DON'T YOU THINK?
I KIND OF GET WHY YOU WOULD BE FLUSTERED HAVING SEEN IT MYSELF.,
BUT DEALING WITH IT UP CLOSE WAS ON A WHOLE DIFFERENT LEVEL
I WASN T REALLY BOTHERED BY IT AT ALL THOUGH.
....
....
HEY. .
JU-
NO.
BUT I HAVEN T EVEN SAID ANYTHING YET

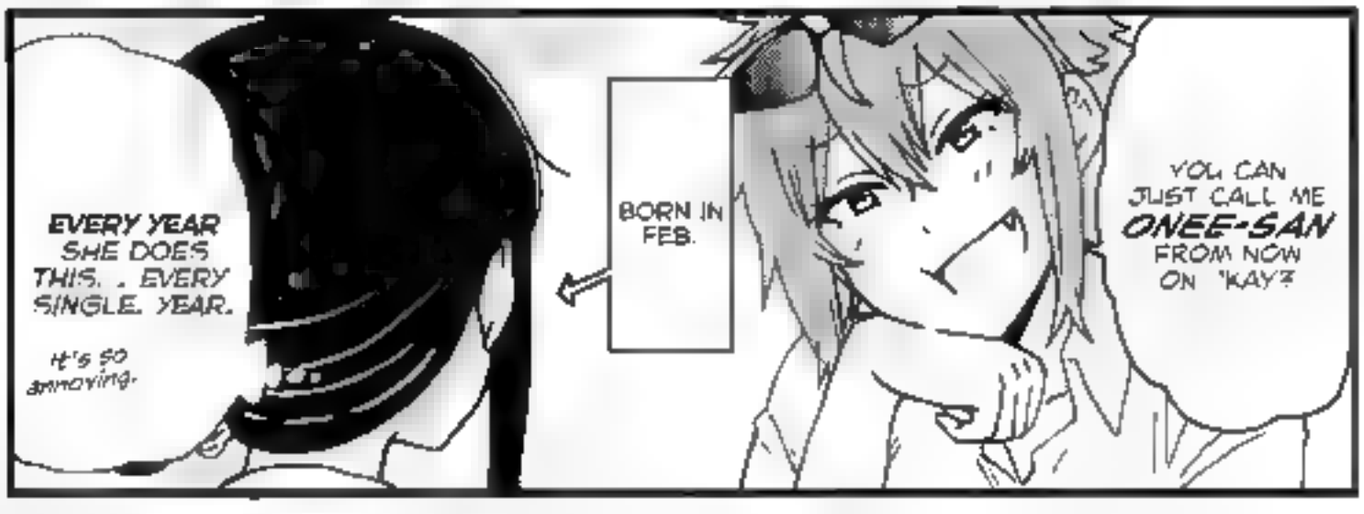
My Summer Starts Here

Tomo-chan's a Child of the Summer

YOU'RE LATE, TOMO
SORRY, MY BAD.
I KINDA OVERSLEPT A LITTLE.
HERE,
THIS IS FOR YOU.
HUH?
YOU SAID YOU WANTED THESE DIDN'T YOU?
ARE THESE... SPORTS SUNGLASSES!? WOW! THANK YOU SO MUCH!
Wait Why're you even giving them to me?
BECAUSE IT'S YOUR BIRTHDAY, STUPID.
MY BIR- OH YEAH!
Ha Ha Ha!
BORN IN OCT
BETTER SHOW ME SOME RESPECT KIDDO.
THAT MEANS I'M OLDER THAN YOU NOW, RIGHT?
IT'S KINDA ANNOYING HOW SHE NEVER GETS TIRED OF THIS YEAR AFTER YEAR.

The Smug Only a Best Friend Can Be

WHAT'S WRONG WITH THAT? IT'S JUST HOW HE IS YA KNOW?
HE'S ALWAYS GIVING YOU SPORTS STUFF EVERY YEAR
THEY'RE A BIRTHDAY PRESENT! JUN GAVE THEM TO ME THIS MORNING.
Pretty cool huh?



An Even Better Present

Don't Tell Me That's...

Sounds Like the Real Deal

Hand of Guidance

Spilled the Beans

Simply Put

SATURDAY, MISUZU'S HOUSE
WELL I CAME OVER LIKE YOU ASKED, SO,
WHAT WAS ALL THAT ABOUT GIVING ME A MAKEOVER, AGAIN?
DOES THAT MEAN I'M GONNA HAVE TO WEAR THE SAME KINDS OF CLOTHES YOU MADE ME WEAR ON MY DATE WITH JUN?
NO NOT THIS TIME.
INSTEAD, WE'LL HAVE YOU ACTUALLY WEAR A SKIRT.
A SKIRT?
AND THIS TOO!
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A TOU-PEE!?
IT'S A WIG!
SO, UHH WHAT EXACTLY IS GOING ON HERE THEN?
BASICALLY, WE'RE GOING TO MAKE YOU LOOK LIKE AN FULL-ON GIRL FOR ONCE.
YEAH, AND DOLL YOU UP WITH SOME MAKEUP AND STUFF TOO!
WAIT... YOU'RE GONNA MAKE ME CROSS-DRESS!?
IS THAT HE!?
AH... SHE ACTUALLY SAID IT.
WELL, I WAS TRYING TO AVOID HAVING TO USE THAT WORD.
BUT YES, WE'RE GONNA HAVE YOU CROSSDRESS.

About a Third

IT WAS SUPER FUN!
I GOT THEM WITH CAROL YESTERDAY.
HOLY CRAP YOU GUYS WEREN'T KIDDING. THERE'S A WHOLE OUTFIT HERE..
With shoes to match.
IF YOU WANT TO THANK SOMEONE, THANK CAROL
ALL I DID WAS PICK STUFF OUT
I FEEL BAD, THOUGH. THESE MUST HAVE BEEN REALLY EXPENSIVE RIGHT?
ARE YOU EMBARRASSED, MISUZU-CHAN~
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OHO~
THANKS SO MUCH YOU TWO.
OWW THAT HURTS.
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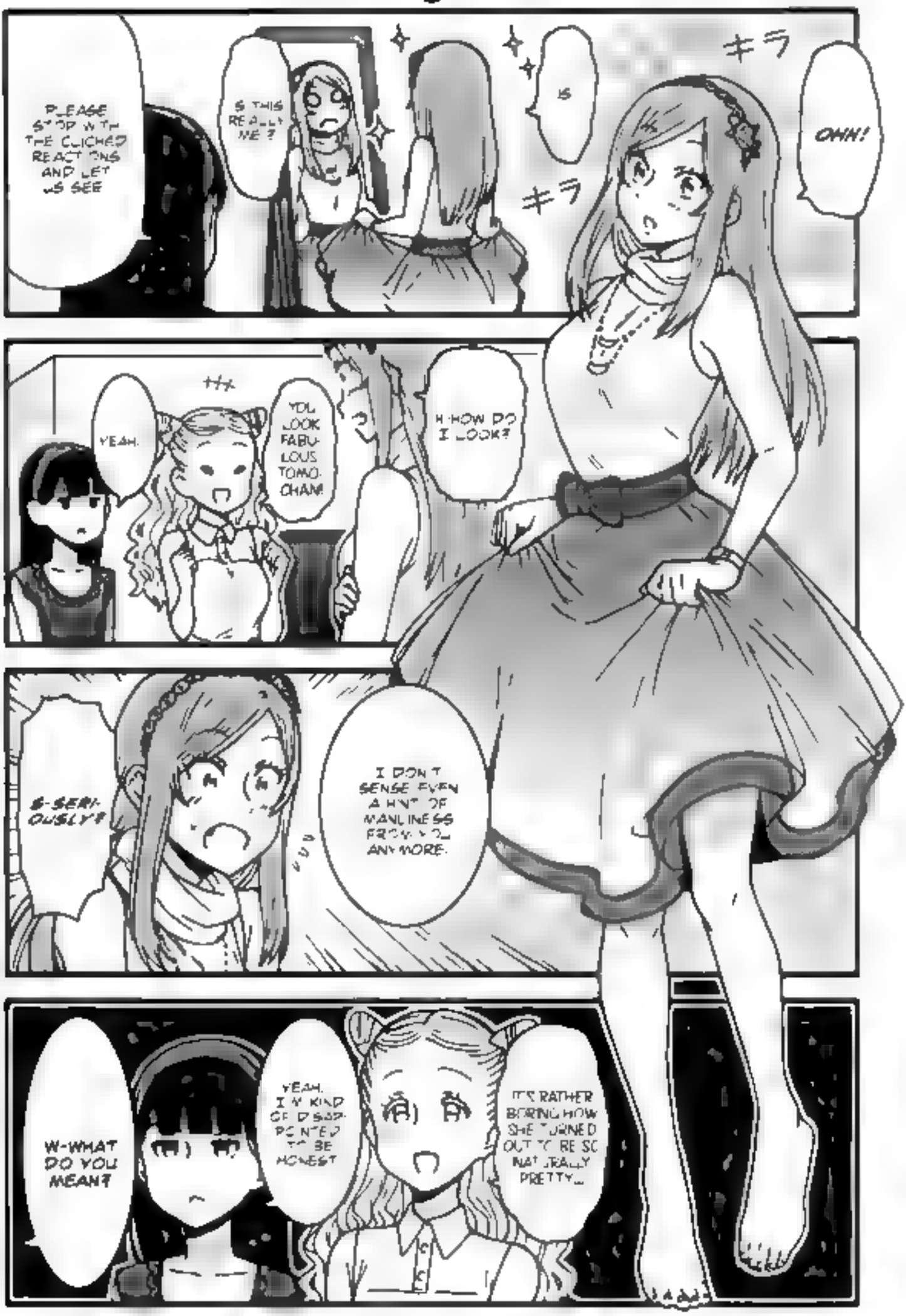
YOU PAID FOR SOME OF IT T—

Carol the Pinch Hitter

Teasing Tomo


PLEASE STOP WITH THE CLICHED REACTIONS AND LET US SEE
IS THIS REALLY ME?
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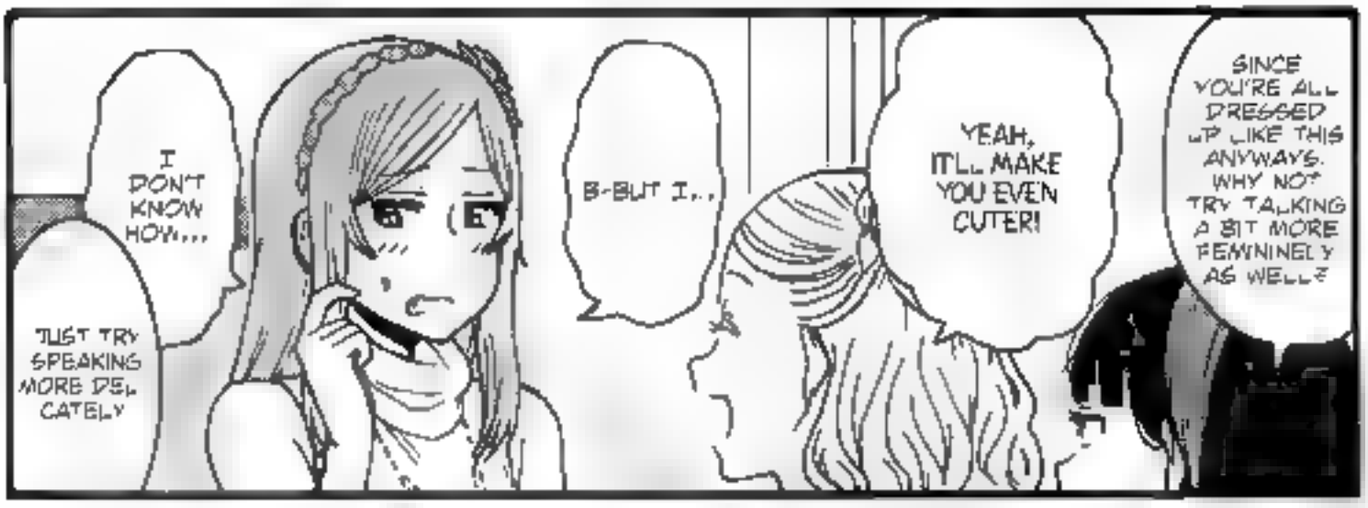
OHH!
HOW DO I LOOK?
YOU LOOK FABULOUS TOMO-CHAN!
YEAH.
I DON'T SENSE EVEN A HINT OF MANLINESS FROM YOU ANYMORE.
S-SERIOUSLY?
W-WHAT DO YOU MEAN?
YEAH. I'M KIND OF DISAPPOINTED TO BE HONEST
IT'S RATHER BORING HOW SHE TURNED OUT TO BE SO NATURALLY PRETTY...

Teasing Tryhards


I DON'T KNOW HOW...
JUST TRY SPEAKING MORE DELICATELY
B-BUT I...
YEAH, IT'LL MAKE YOU EVEN CUTER!
SINCE YOU'RE ALL DRESSED UP LIKE THIS ANYWAYS. WHY NOT TRY TALKING A BIT MORE FEMININELY AS WELL?

WAS THAT TO YOUR LIKING, M-MADAM?
I-IT'S A PLEASURE TO MAKE YOUR ACQUAINTANCE.
ALLOW ME TO INTRODUCE MYSELF. MY NAME IS AIZAWA TOMO.

YOU-
YOU REALLY THINK SO!?
Oh!
IF YOU TALK LIKE THAT GUYS WOULD BE FALLING HEAD OVER HEELS FOR YOU.
YEAH
YOU WERE SO CUTE, TOMO-CHAN!

WHAT'S WITH YOU TWO!?
INDEED, THE MERE SIGHT OF YOU WOULD MAKE ME WANT TO VOMIT
BUT... I WOULDN'T WANT TO BE FRIENDS IF YOU WERE LIKE THAT.

The Plan

EH?
YEAH, ME TOO...
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FOR SOME REASON, I'M REALLY CRAVING FOR ONE OF THOSE ICE CREAMS THEY SELL AT THE CONVENIENCE STORE.
DON'T SWEAT IT!
YOU DON'T HAVE TO. IT'S NOT LIKE I WAS TRYING TO GUILT YOU INTO GETTING IT FOR US
ARE YOU SURE?
THINK OF IT AS THANKS FOR ALL YOU'VE DONE FOR ME!
HEY I CAN GO GET IT FOR YOU GUYS!
WHERE DID MY CLOTHES GO?
HUH...
JUST GIVE ME A SEC TO CHANGE AND I'LL—
THERE'S NO WAY I CAN GO OUT LOOKING LIKE THIS THOUGH.
GIVE ME BACK MY CLOTHES.
OI. .
....
....

The Reason Behind Their Gaze

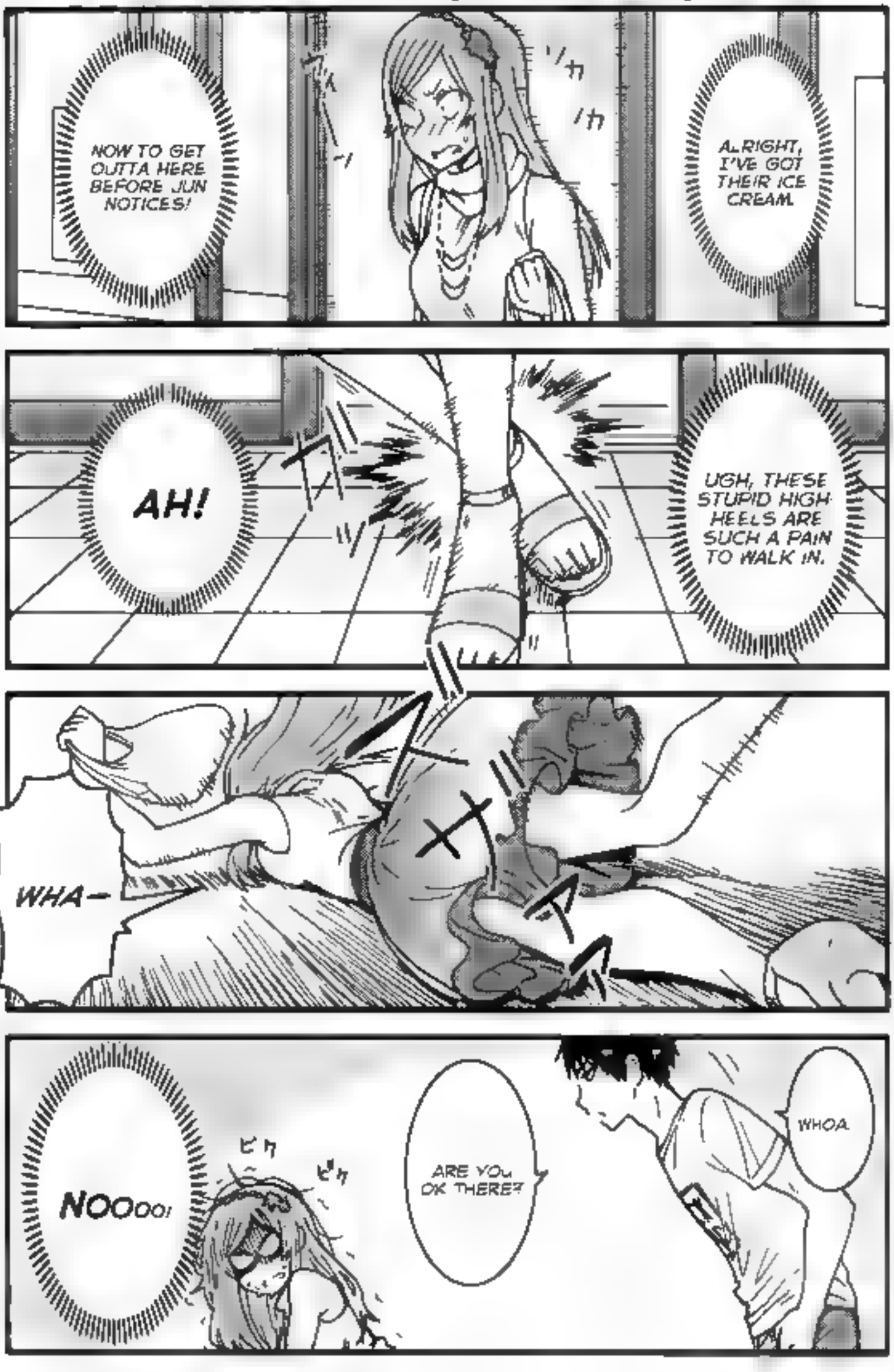
HOLD ON A SEC! YOU'RE SERIOUSLY MAKING ME GO OUTSIDE LIKE THIS!?
OF COURSE.
YOU DID SAY YOU WANTED TO BECOME MORE GIRLY, RIGHT?
IF I GO OUT LIKE THIS, EVERYONE'LL LOOK AT ME ALL WEIRD!
BUT—
IT'S NOT ENOUGH TO DRESS UP LIKE THIS IN FRONT OF US, YOU'VE GOT TO DO IT IN FRONT OF EVERYONE
WELL...
IT'S A GIVEN THAT THEY'D GIVE YOU STRANGE LOOKS BUT EVEN THEN, IT'S PROBABLY NOT FOR THE REASONS THAT YOU THINK...
FOR THE REASONS THAT I... WHAT!?
GOOD LUCK OUT THERE
AH—
HEY, WAIT! MISUZU!

A Familiar Face

It's All In Your Head

WHAT DO I DO!? HOW THE HECK AM I GONNA EXPLAIN THIS GET-UP TO HIM!?
OH GOD, WE SAW EACH OTHER! HE'S DEFINITELY GONNA TO COME TALK TO ME NOW!
D-DID HE NOT NOTICE ME?
H-HUH?
I JUST NEED TO GET WHAT I CAME HERE FOR AND GET OUT ASAP.
I DON'T KNOW HOW HE HASN'T NOTICED, BUT THIS IS MY CHANCE!
THERE'S JUST NO WAY..
NO WAY.

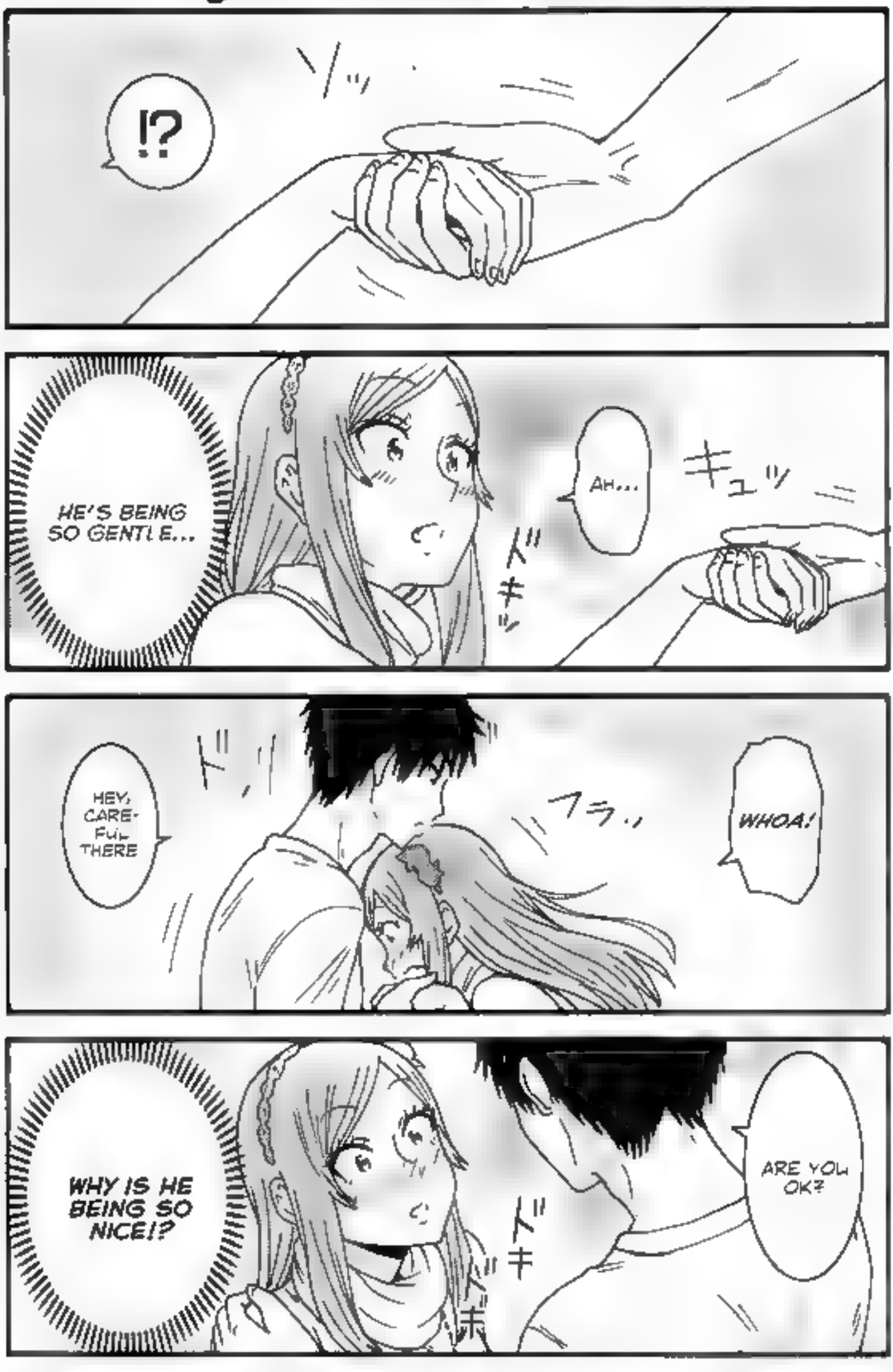
Never Wearing Them Again


NOW TO GET OUTTA HERE BEFORE JUN NOTICES!
ALRIGHT, I'VE GOT THEIR ICE CREAM
AH!
UGH, THESE STUPID HIGH HEELS ARE SUCH A PAIN TO WALK IN.
WHA—
NOOoo!
ARE YOu OK THERE?
WHOA

Conclusive Observation

IT'S ALL OVER! HE KNOWS!
IT LOOKED LIKE YOU FELL PRETTY HARD BACK THERE.
WHY DOES HE HAVE TO BE SO DAMN CLOSE!?
HEY, CAN YOU STAND?
BUT THE TOMO I KNOW WOULD NEVER WEAR THOSE SORTS OF CLOTHES, LET ALONE MAKEUP...
SHE LOOKS JUST LIKE TOMO.
QUITE A PRO-BLEM.
IF THIS GIRL REALLY WAS TOMO THEN IT'D BE.
HOW HASN'T HE FIGURED IT OUT!?
HUH!?
NEED A HAND?
BLOCK HEAD
IN CON-CLUSION,
SHE'S NOT TOMO.

Fragile: Handle With Care



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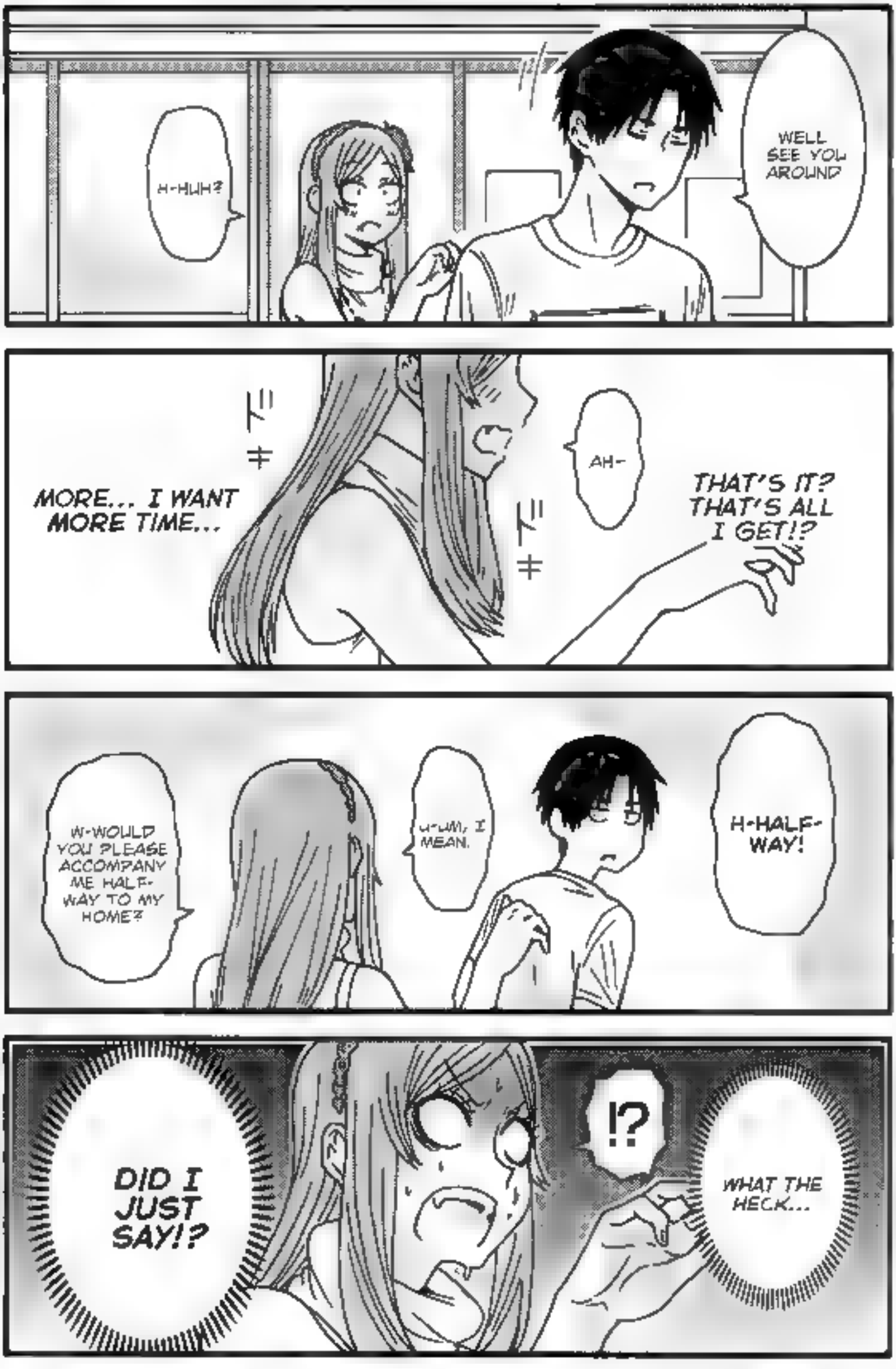
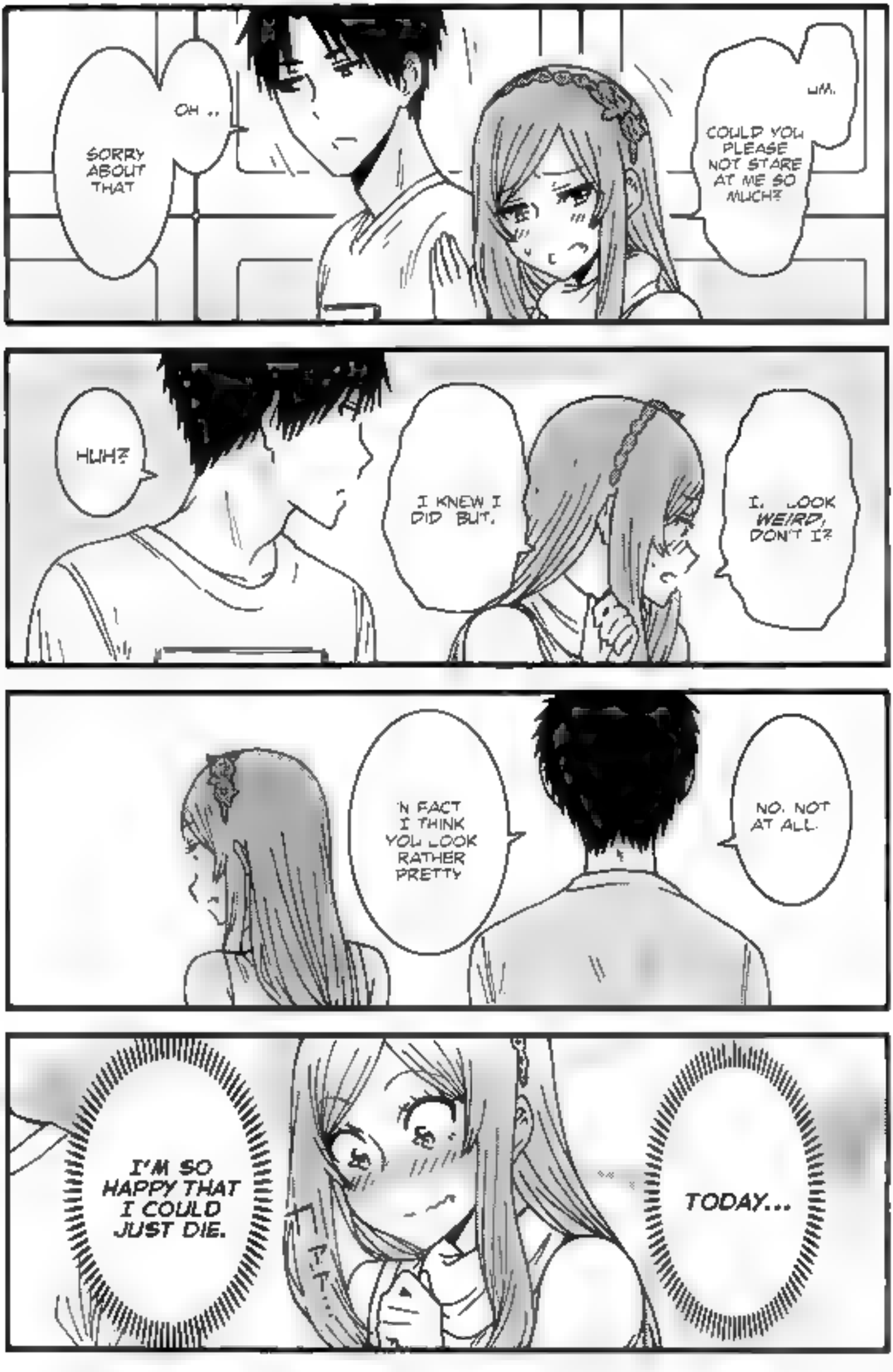


Looking in the Wrong Place

I'm Glad I Wore It


UM.
COULD YOU PLEASE NOT STARE AT ME SO MUCH?
OH ..
SORRY ABOUT THAT
I. LOOK WEIRD, DON'T I?
I KNEW I DID BUT.
HUH?
NO. NOT AT ALL.
'N FACT I THINK YOU LOOK RATHER PRETTY
TODAY...
I'M SO HAPPY THAT I COULD JUST DIE.

The Return of Tomo-chan

OH? ARE THEY PLAYING SOCCER DOWN THERE?
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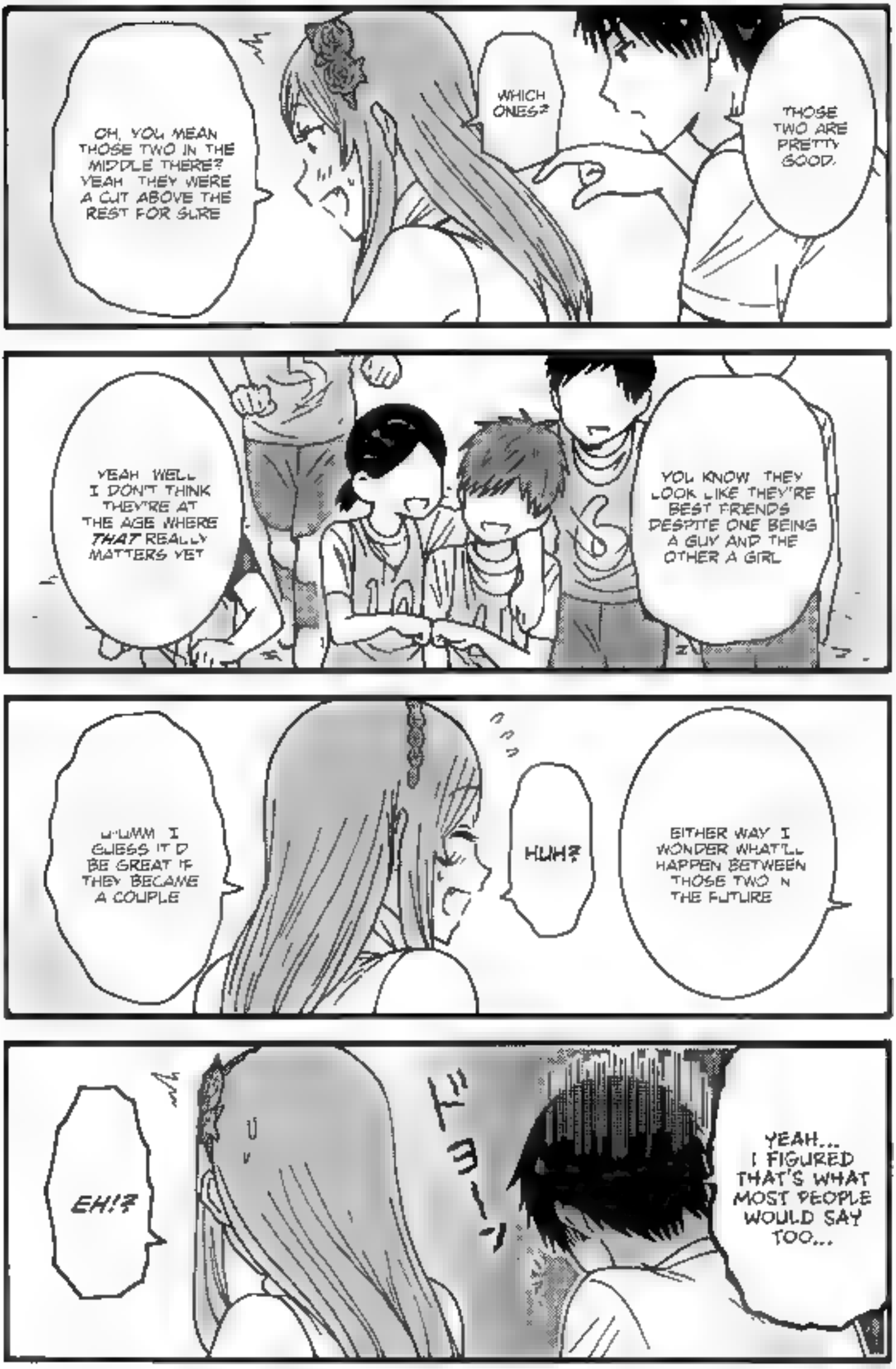
WOW, THAT GIRL OVER THERE IS PRETTY GOOD.
MAN, HOW NOSTALGIC... THERE'S GIRLS PLAYING TOO, SO I GUESS THEY MUST BE ELEMENTARY SCHOOLERS.
HUH?
DAMMIT! YOU WERE SO CLOSE!
GO! GO! COME ON! SHE SHOOTS AND SHE-

Overload

CAN'T SAY I SAW THAT COMING
I'M SORRY
I JUST REALLY ENJOY WATCHING SPORTS
I SEE
OH THEY SCORED
I GET SO INTO IT WHEN I'M WATCHING THAT I END UP SHOUTING OUT LIKE THAT..
I know it's not very girly
BUT I LIKE PEOPLE LIKE THAT PERSONALLY
WELL I DON'T REALLY CARE IF IT'S GIRLY OR NOT
ARE YOU TRYING TO KILL ME!?
WHAT'S WITH YOU TODAY, JUN!?

The Wheel of Fate is Ever Turning


OH, YOU MEAN THOSE TWO IN THE MIDDLE THERE? YEAH THEY WERE A CUT ABOVE THE REST FOR SURE
WHICH ONES?
THOSE TWO ARE PRETTY GOOD.
YEAH WELL I DON'T THINK THEY'RE AT THE AGE WHERE THAT REALLY MATTERS YET
YOU KNOW THEY LOOK LIKE THEY'RE BEST FRIENDS DESPITE ONE BEING A GUY AND THE OTHER A GIRL
U-UMM I GUESS IT'D BE GREAT IF THEY BECAME A COUPLE
HUH?
EITHER WAY I WONDER WHAT'LL HAPPEN BETWEEN THOSE TWO IN THE FUTURE
EH!?
YEAH... I FIGURED THAT'S WHAT MOST PEOPLE WOULD SAY TOO...

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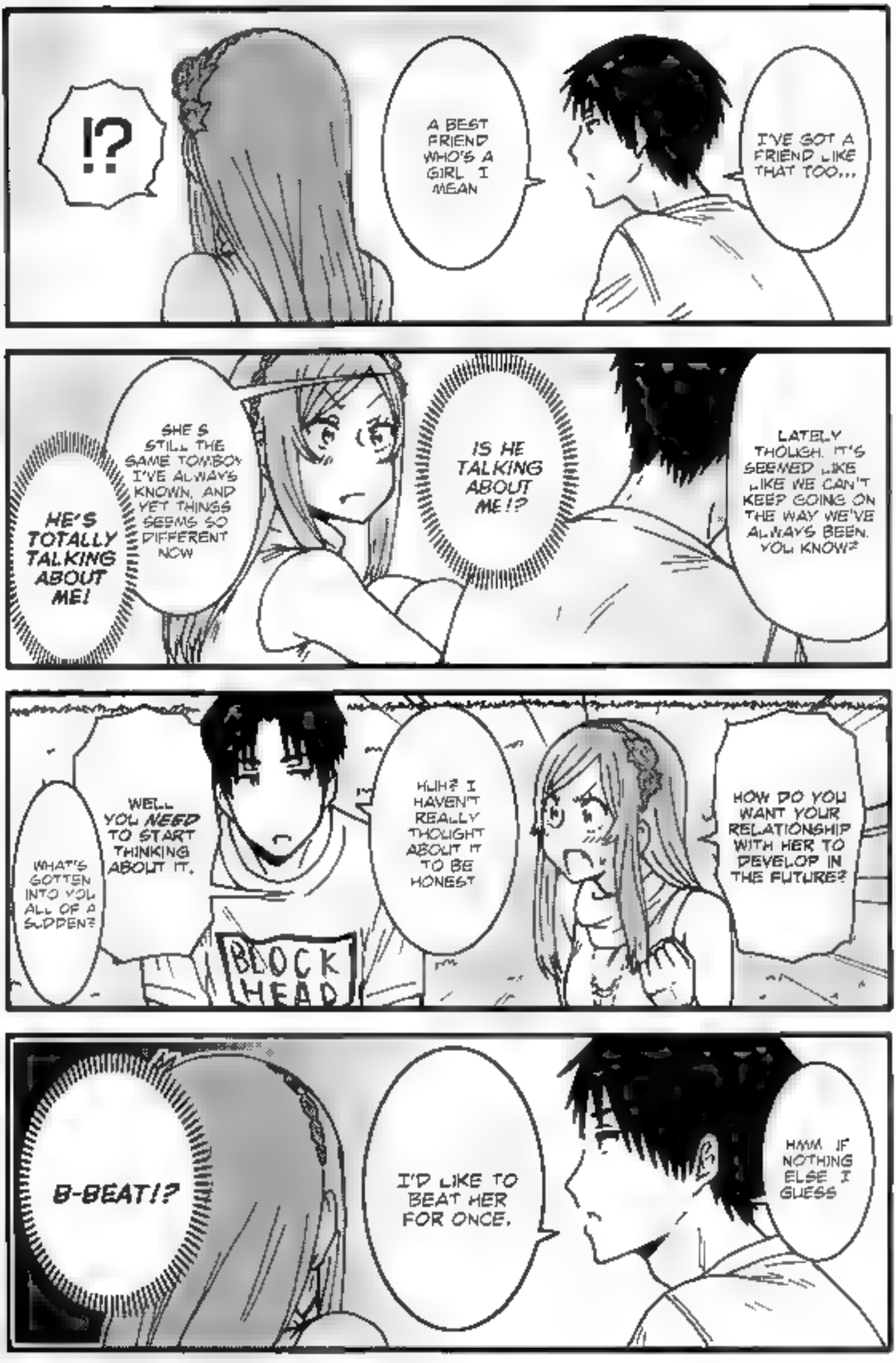
All Roads Lead to Tomo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A BEST FRIEND WHO'S A GIRL I MEAN
I'VE GOT A FRIEND LIKE THAT TOO...
HE'S TOTALLY TALKING ABOUT ME!
SHE'S STILL THE SAME TOMBOY I'VE ALWAYS KNOWN, AND YET THINGS SEEMS SO DIFFERENT NOW
IS HE TALKING ABOUT ME!?
LATELY THOUGH, IT'S SEEMED LIKE LIKE WE CAN'T KEEP GOING ON THE WAY WE'VE ALWAYS BEEN. YOU KNOW?
WHAT'S GOTTEN INTO YOU ALL OF A SUDDEN?
WELL YOU NEED TO START THINKING ABOUT IT.
BLOCK HEAD
HUH? I HAVEN'T REALLY THOUGHT ABOUT IT TO BE HONEST
HOW DO YOU WANT YOUR RELATIONSHIP WITH HER TO DEVELOP IN THE FUTURE?
B-BEAT!?
I'D LIKE TO BEAT HER FOR ONCE.
HMM IF NOTHING ELSE I GUESS

Objective: Failed

MAYBE IF I DO SOME THING WILL ACTUALLY HAPPEN...
AT THIS POINT, SHOULD I JUST COME CLEAN AND TELL HIM I'M TOMO!?
D-DON'T TELL ME HE FIGURED IT OUT!
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B-BUT WHA—
BY THE WAY I VE BEEN WONDERING THIS FOR A WHILE NOW BUT
DON'T YOU THINK IT WOULD'VE MELTED BY NOW?
YOU GOT ICE CREAM AT THE CONVENIENCE STORE RIGHT?
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BLOCK HEAD
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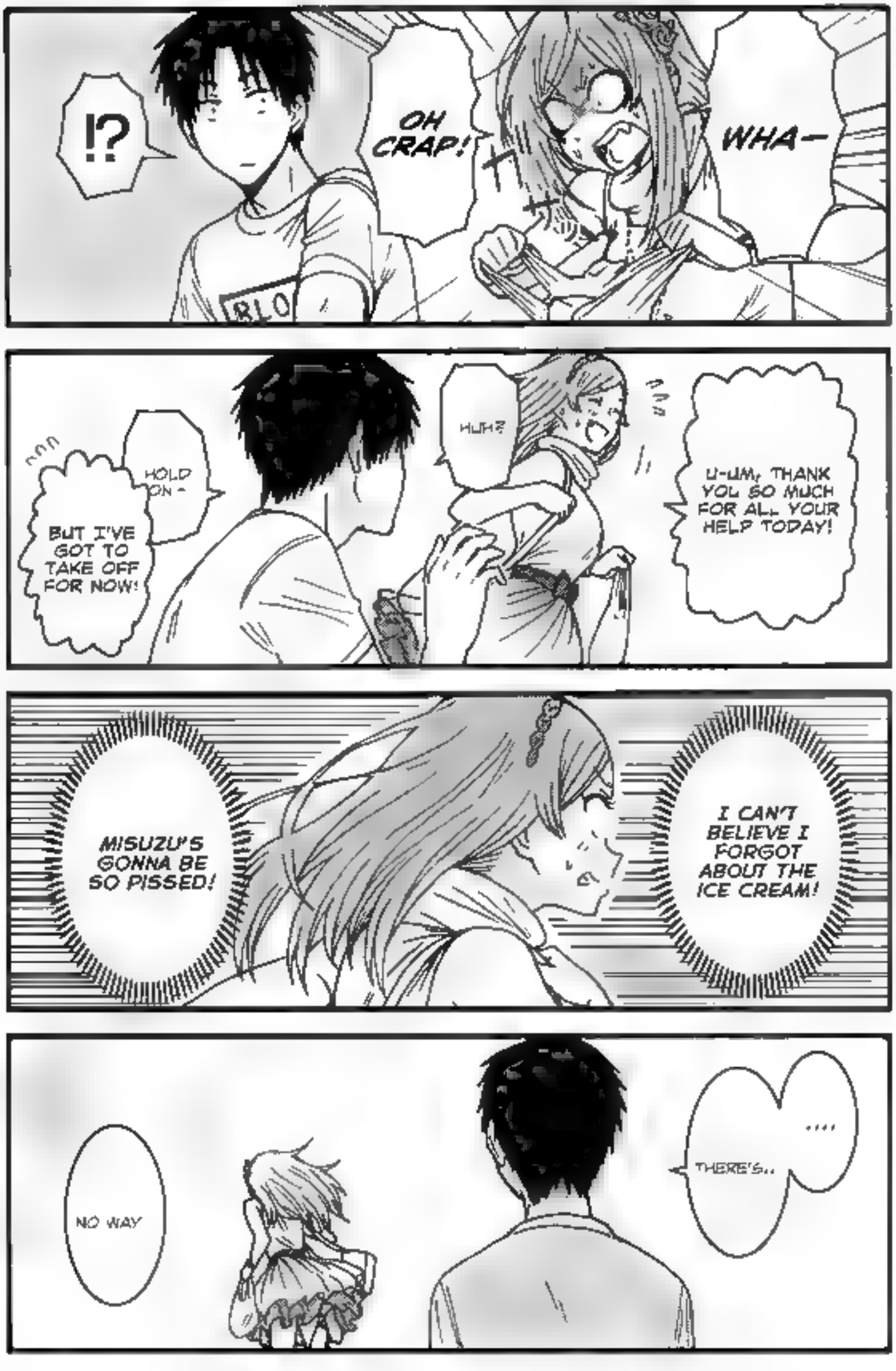
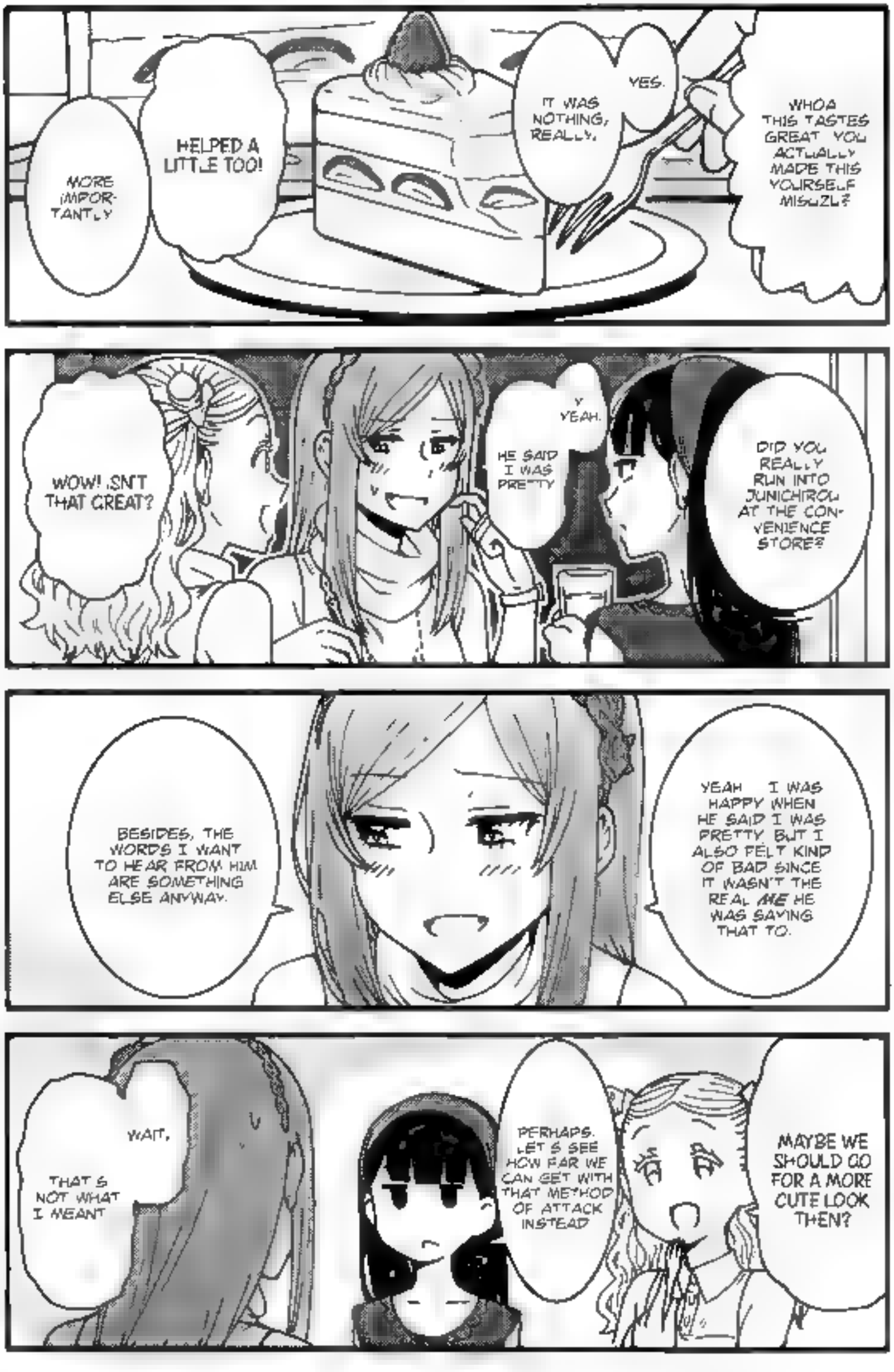


Too Soon

SOME STUFF CAME UP WHILE I WAS OUT
S-SORRY I'M LATE GUYS...
AND, HUH?
GO ON AHEAD DON'T MIND US.
SORRY, TOMO-CHAN.
OH, UMM, T-THERE'S SOMETHING I FORGOT TO GO BUY, SO, I'LL BE RIGHT BACK, OK?

A Dream Within a Dream


WHOA THIS TASTES GREAT YOU ACTUALLY MADE THIS YOURSELF MISUZU?
YES. IT WAS NOTHING, REALLY.
HELPED A LITTLE TOO!
MORE IMPORTANTLY
DID YOU REALLY RUN INTO JUNICHIROU AT THE CONVENIENCE STORE?
Y YEAH. HE SAID I WAS PRETTY
WOW! ISN'T THAT GREAT?
YEAH I WAS HAPPY WHEN HE SAID I WAS PRETTY BUT I ALSO FELT KIND OF BAD SINCE IT WASN'T THE REAL ME HE WAS SAYING THAT TO.
BESIDES, THE WORDS I WANT TO HEAR FROM HIM ARE SOMETHING ELSE ANYWAY.
MAYBE WE SHOULD GO FOR A MORE CUTE LOOK THEN?
PERHAPS. LET'S SEE HOW FAR WE CAN GET WITH THAT METHOD OF ATTACK INSTEAD
WAIT, THAT'S NOT WHAT I MEANT

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Reconfirming a Misconfirmation

LET'S GO TO SCHOOL TOGETHER~
WHAT'S UP, JUN.
IS SOMETHING WRONG?
HUH?
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HEY!
LEGGO OF MY FASHE!
....
WHAT THE—
WHY ARE YOU SMIRKING ALL CREEPY LIKE THAT!? ARE YOU SOME KIND OF PERVERT NOW!?
THAT'S THE KIND OF PUNCH THE REAL TOMO WOULD THROW
YEAH, THAT'S MORE LIKE IT
Hehe
WHAT THE HELL'S GOTTEN INTO YOU ALL OF A SUDDEN!?

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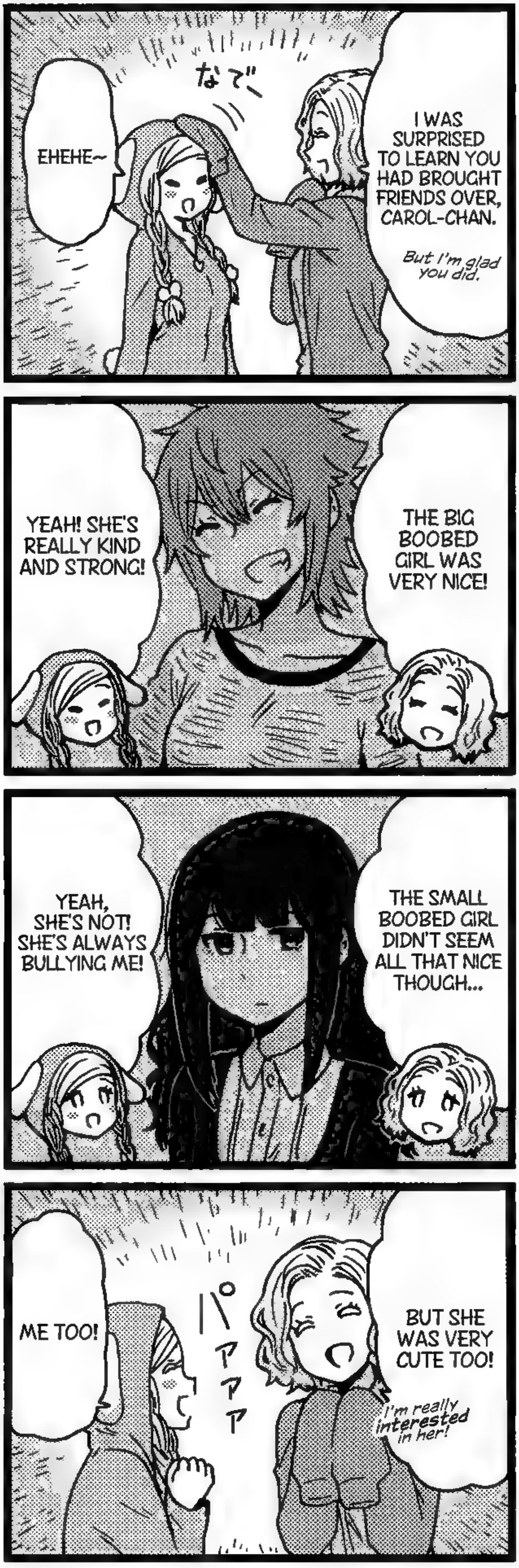
Natural Predators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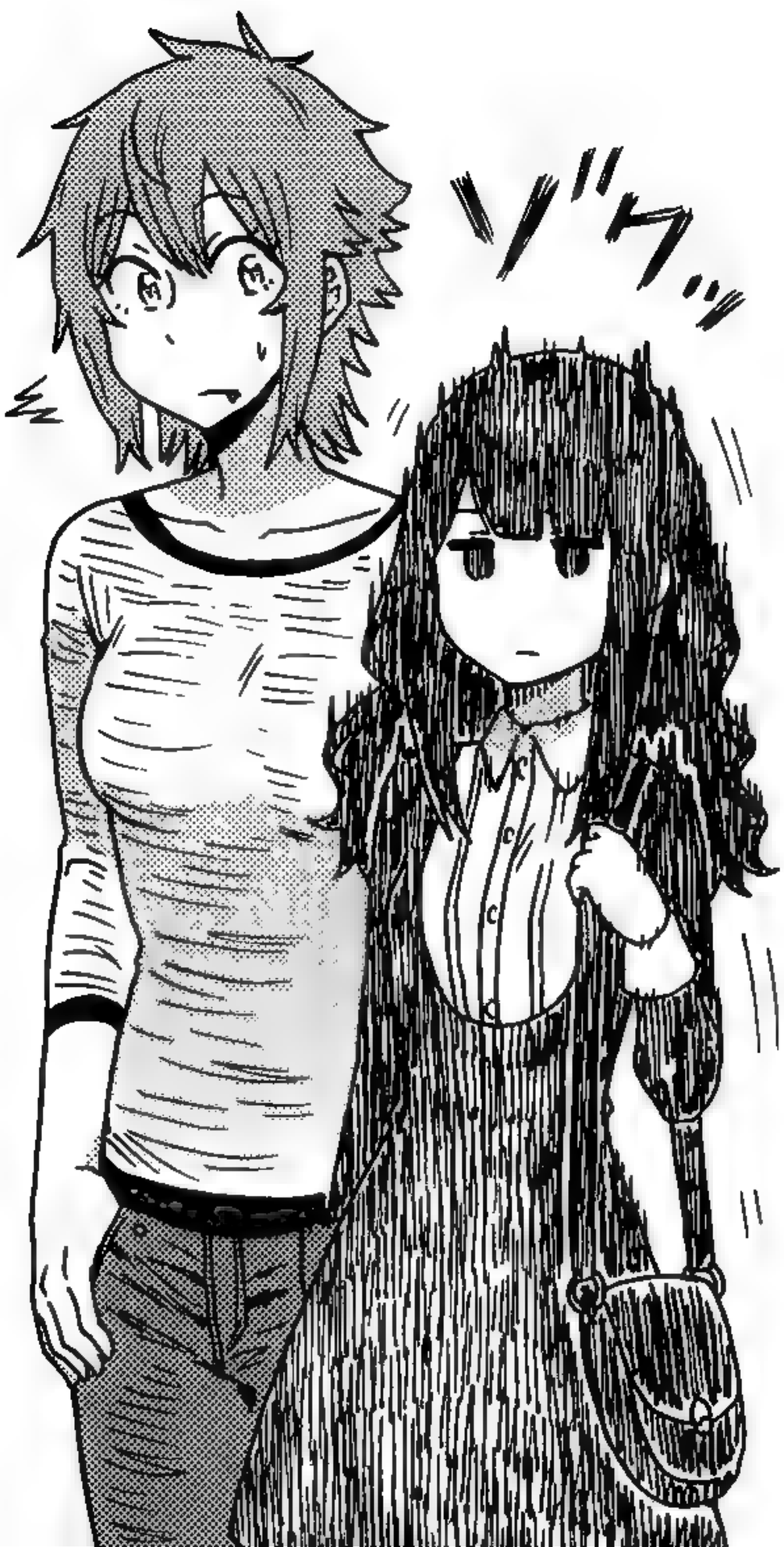
EHEHE~
I WAS SURPRISED TO LEARN YOU HAD BROUGHT FRIENDS OVER, CAROL-CHAN.
But I'm glad you did.
YEAH! SHE'S REALLY KIND AND STRONG!
THE BIG BOOBED GIRL WAS VERY NICE!
YEAH, SHE'S NOT! SHE'S ALWAYS BULLYING ME!
THE SMALL BOOBED GIRL DIDN'T SEEM ALL THAT NICE THOUGH...
ME TOO!
BUT SHE WAS VERY CUTE TOO!
I'm really interested in her!



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EDDIE OLSTON (16): THE DISTINGUISHED SON OF THE HEAD OF A GLOBAL CORPORATE EMPIRE

16 YEARS AGO: A TROUBLED YOUNG MAN, AT A CERTAIN RESTAURANT, IN A CERTAIN COUNTRY

FERRIS... I CAME HERE TODAY TO TELL YOU SOMETHING VERY IMPORTANT.

YOU KNOW HOW MY FATHER IS THE PRESIDENT OF A VERY LARGE COMPANY, YES?

ALAS, DUE TO THE AMBITIONS OF MY FATHER, I'M REQUIRED TO STUDY ABROAD IN JAPAN UPON GRADUATION HERE.

I can't believe him...

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I'LL ONLY BE ABLE TO REMAIN IN THE COUNTRY FOR ANOTHER TWO YEARS...

I SUPPOSE I JUST DIDN'T EXPLAIN IT VERY WELL BEFORE.

THAT'S STRANGE... I COULD'VE SWORN I'VE TOLD YOU THIS MANY TIMES ALREADY.

OH, REALLY~ I DIDN'T KNOW THAT...

EDDIE...

ONCE I'M FORCED TO GO TO JAPAN I HIGHLY DOUBT I'LL BE ABLE TO RETURN.

IN ORDER FOR OUR COMPANY TO EXPAND GLOBALLY, ALL THREE OF MY OLDER BROTHERS ARE ABROAD STUDYING ECONOMICS IN VARIOUS COUNTRIES AROUND THE GLOBE.

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B-BUT I—

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I DON'T WANT TO LOSE YOU!

A-AS...

AS MY WIFE!

I CAN'T.

SO PLEASE... COME WITH ME TO JAPAN IN TWO YEARS!

I SAID I CAN'T.

HUH?

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YOU PROBABLY HAVE YOUR CIRCUMSTANCES FOR TH—

I'M SORRY. IT'S TO BE EXPECTED HAVING BROUGHT IT UP SO SUDDENLY.

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I MEAN, I'M STILL ONLY 13. IN TWO YEARS I'LL BE 15, SO I DON'T THINK I CAN GET MARRIED YET... RIGHT?

OH, HAVE I NEVER TOLD YOU BEFORE

HOW OLD I WAS?

ME?

I'M 13 YEARS OLD!

THIR...TEEN...

I'M SORRY, BUT...

HOW OLD DID YOU SAY YOU WERE?

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SAY SOME PRETTY FUNNY THINGS SOMETIMES...

REALLY?

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AH... HAHA...

Y-Y-YOU...

SO... YOU REALLY ARE 13?

OF COURSE!

AH, THAT'S BECAUSE THIS IS MY MOTHER'S RESTAURANT. SO I HELP OUT WHERE I CAN.

A-HA! A RESPONSIBLE YOUNG WOMAN YOU ARE...

THAT DOESN'T MAKE SENSE THOUGH... YOU'VE BEEN WORKING HERE EVER SINCE I FIRST CAME TO THIS PLACE...

I remember feeling that it was the strangest thing about you...

THAT CAN'T BE!... THERE'S NO WAY YOU'RE 13!

WHAT GAVE YOU THAT IMPRESSION?

FORGET ABOUT MARRIAGE... WHAT THE HELL HAVE I DONE!?

YOU'RE A REAL FUNNY GUY, YOU KNOW THAT?

IN FACT, I THOUGHT SHE MAY HAVE BEEN A YEAR OR TWO OLDER!

I TRULY BELIEVED WE WERE THE SAME AGE!

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WOULD IT REALLY BE OKAY...

BUT, EDDIE...

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FOR SOMEONE ELSE TO TAKE ME AWAY JUST BECAUSE OF MY AGE?

B-BESIDES, SHE'S ONLY THREE YEARS YOUNGER THAN ME!

THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR OPENING MY EYES, FERRIS...

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MORALS AND ETHICS BE DAMNED!

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IT'S NOTHING SPECTACULAR, BUT I BOUGHT THIS WEDDING RING WITH THE MONEY I EARNED MYSELF.

SO PLEASE MARRY ME!

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I'LL REMAIN HERE UNTIL YOU'RE AN ADULT... I'LL CONVINCE MY FATHER TO DELAY MY ABROAD STUDIES IF I HAVE TO...

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IN THAT CASE...

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HE WILL PROBABLY BE FURIOUS ONCE HE HEARS ABOUT THIS.

I-I'LL DO IT!

YOU'LL HAVE TO CONVINCE MY FATHER TOO, YOU KNOW?

Y-YOUR FATHER!?

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I MAY HAVE WAVERED FOR A MOMENT THERE...

FERRIS...

I'LL BE WITH YOU

FOR FOREVER AND EVER, EDDIE!

BECAUSE...

BUT I KNOW NOW THAT IT WAS FOOLISH TO WORRY.

THAT'S RIGHT!

I'M SURE THE BABY IN HERE IS HAPPY TOO!

THE BABY'S ALSO...

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EHEHEH ♪

I WAS BORN TO MAKE THIS GIRL HAPPY, AND THAT'S ALL THAT MATTERS!

THERE'S... A BABY IN THERE?

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